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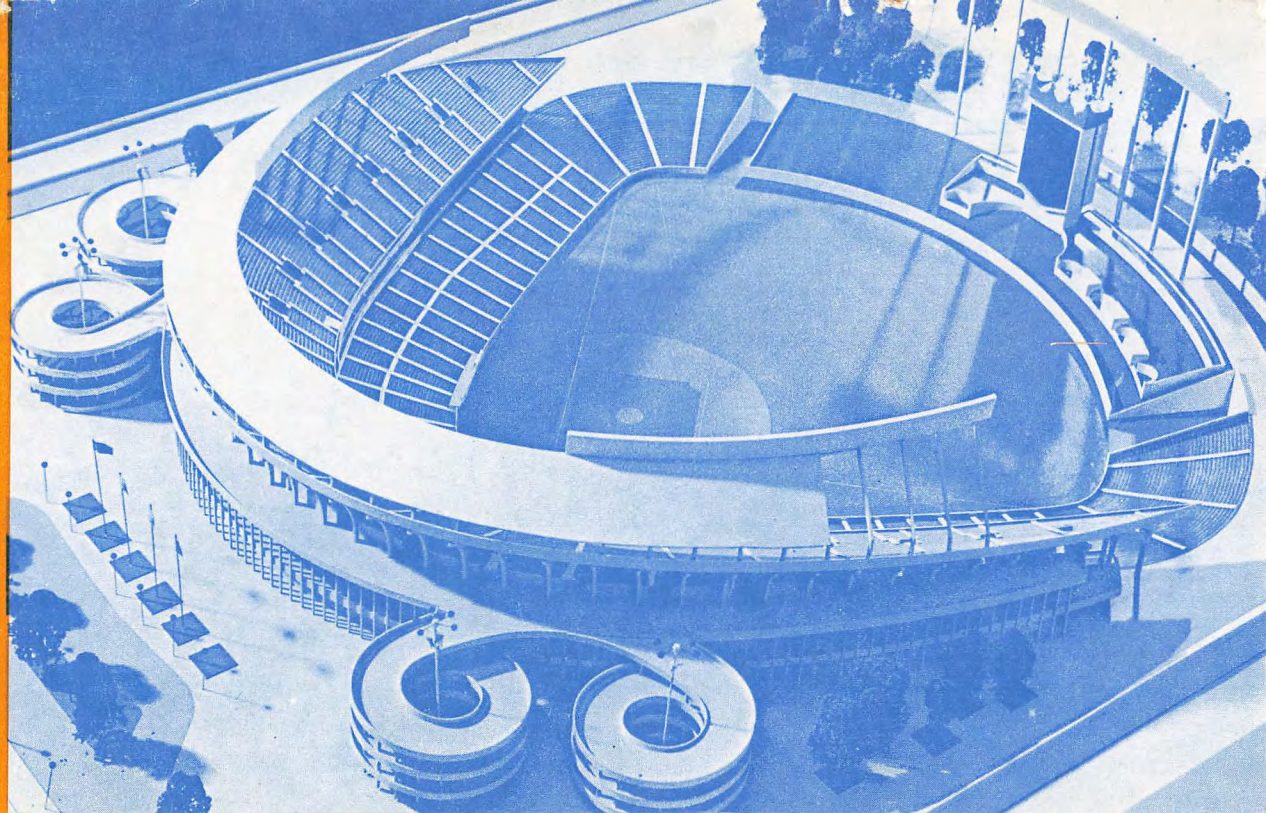

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The Royals move into their magnificent new home in 1972. (See Cover). Royals Stadium, the baseball half of the ultra-modern twin sports structure known as the Harry S. Truman Sports Complex, was scheduled to be opened April 11 when Kansas City's new American League franchise started its fourth season. (At press time, there still was a chance the opening might have to be delayed a few weeks.)

When fully completed, the Royals will have one of baseball's finest stadiums, especially since the 40,589-seat facility was planned strictly for one sport.

Royals Stadium combines the best features of present stadiums plus displaying some dramatic new dimensions. Among the most talked about features are a $2 million scoreboard, a $1,500,000 stadium club, a $750,000 water spectacular and an impressive two-level press box and press club.

Foremost, of course, are the advantages offered to players and spectators. The players will perform on the first American League diamond to be covered totally with a synthetic turf (Tartan). Only the pitching mound, home plate and sliding areas will be dirt.

Fans will enjoy many features of Royals Stadium. Two circular ramps and four escalators will make seats easy to reach. Some 20,323 seats will be in the lower level while the club level will have 2,612 and the upper deck 17,654. Every seat will point towards second base and have a completely unobstructed view of the diamond.

Parking space takes care of 16,000 automobiles and 80 busses.

The Truman Complex is located just 10 minutes east of downtown Kansas City at the Blue Ridge Cutoff exit off Interstate 70, and is easily accessible from every direction.

Financing of the Complex is by general obligation bonds as voted by the citizens of Jackson County who approved the $43 million project on June 27, 1967. Ground was broken on the 370-acre tract on July 11, 1968. (Inflationary costs which resulted in $9.2 million of revenue bonds and personal investments by Owners Ewing Kauffman of the Royals and Lamar Hunt of the Chiefs, who will occupy the accompanying football stadium, have jumped the total project cost to $70 million.)

Some 100 baseball writers can be accommodated in the press box. On a level just above, there are seven broadcasting booths. Photographers also will be able to work at ground level and at the press box level.

The scoreboard, located in center field, majestically towers 12 stories (120 feet) high and takes the form of the Royals' crest. In addition to the normal game information, it will present spectacular animations. When one of the Royals hits a home run a facial likeness of the batter will appear in a size 40 feet wide and 60 feet high with a crown atop his head. At the same time, huge balls on the crown light up and perimeter lights encircle the entire scoreboard several times giving the effect of a giant fireworks display. Some 16,320 lights are involved.

The water spectacular stretches 322 feet wide, primarily from center to right field. Designed by Anthony C. Mifsud, who is well known throughout Europe for his breath-taking water displays, the Royals Stadium spectacular has the total capability of producing more than a 20-minute show without repetition. The sequences, controlled by computer, include sprays, jets, triangles, fans, castles, mushrooms and many other variations. One jet of water, which can reach seven stories high, responds to the cheers of spectators, rising as the cheers grow. Another gyrates wildly to a height of 70 feet with each Kansas City home run, coordinating with the scoreboard.

The stadium club, located on the third base side, overlooks the entire playing field, scoreboard and water spectacular. The club has four tiers for diners, each with an unobstructed view. Total seating capacity is 600.

Left behind when Royals Stadium is completed will be Municipal Stadium, which hosted its 49th season in 1971.

KANSAS CITY ROYALS OFFICIALS

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Ewing Kauffman	Ernie Mehl	Earl Smith
Mrs. Ewing Kauffman	Les Milgram	Cedric Tallis
Charles Hughes		Charles Truitt

FRONT OFFICE PERSONNEL

President—Ewing Kauffman
Executive Vice President and General Manager—Cedric Tallis
Vice President and Treasurer—Charles Truitt
Director of Minor League Operations and Scouting—James "Lou" Gorman
Controller and Assistant Business Manager—Doug Adams
Director of Public Relations—Bob Wirz
Traveling Secretary—Rick Current
Ticket Manager—Al Marcum
Director of Stadium Operations—Jay Leishman
Group Sales Manager—Tom Hall
Director of Broadcasting—Bill Glidden
Assistant Farm Director—John Schuerholz
Assistant Scouting Director—Spencer (Herk) Robinson
Assistant Public Relations Director—Gene Diefendorf
Assistant Ticket Manager—Bill Sears
Assistant Director of Stadium Operations—Henry Wheat
Legal Counsel—Phil Koury

MANAGER AND STAFF

Manager—Bob Lemon.
Coaches—Galen Cisco, Harry Dunlop, Charley Lau, George Strickland.
Team Physician—Dr. Paul Meyer.
Trainer—Bill Jones.
Groundskeeper—George Toma.
Equipment Manager—Al Zych.
Assistant Equipment Manager—George Sigloch.

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IMPORTANT DATES IN DEVELOPMENT OF THE KANSAS CITY ROYALS

1968

January 11	—Ewing Kauffman becomes owner of franchise.
January 15	—Board of Directors is named and is made up of Ewing Kauffman, Mrs. Ewing Kauffman, Charles Hughes, Ernie Mehl, Les Milgram, Earl Smith and Charles Truitt.
January 16	—Cedric Tallis is appointed Executive Vice President and General Manager and member of the Board of Directors.
March 21	—Board of Directors select "Royals" as team nickname after study of more than 17,000 suggestions.
April 4	—Kansas City announces plans to participate in a co-op farm club in Dubuque, Ia., during the 1968 season, thereby starting its farm system.
April 25	—Gerald Lyscio, a free agent, becomes first player to sign with Royals.
April 27	—Kansas City becomes owner of its first farm club by signing Corning, N.Y., of the New York-Penn League for the 1968 season.
June 6	—Kansas City selects 25 players in baseball's Free Agent Draft, the first such draft for the Royals.
July 11	—Ground is broken for Kansas City's Harry S. Truman Sports Complex.
September 5	—First season ticket drive is launched. First day sales total 2,156 season tickets.
September 9	—Joe Gordon is hired to manage Royals.
October 15	—Roger Nelson becomes first player on Kansas City's major league roster in being named initial choice among 30 selections in American League expansion draft.
December 12	—Royals complete first major league trade by sending Hoyt Wilhelm to California Angels for Ed Kirkpatrick and Dennis Paepke.

1969

February 21	—Forty-six players participate in first workout ever. Fort Myers, Fla., is the site.
March 6	—Royals collect 16 hits, but lose exhibition opener to Montreal, 9-8.
March 8	—Kansas City uses home runs by Pat Kelly and Chuck Harrison to win its first game, 2-1 over Washington, at Fort Myers. Roger Nelson, Dave Morehead and Jerry Cram pitch a 6-hitter.
April 5	—Royals make Kansas City debut, but lose exhibition game to St. Louis Cardinals, 1-0.
April 7	—Season ticket sales close at 6,805, an all-time American League record.
April 8	—Joe Keough's pinch single with one out and bases loaded in 12th inning scores Joe Foy to give Royals a winning American League debut over Minnesota, 4-3. Attendance is 17,688.
April 20	—First home doubleheader is split with Oakland, as 31,872, watch. It is largest home crowd of opening season.
July 16	—Ellie Rodriguez becomes first Royal selected for American League All-Star team.
August 2	—Ewing Kauffman gives commitment letter to Jackson County Court to lease the baseball stadium in the new sports complex. The lease is for 25 years, with an option for 10 years.
August 26	—Omaha wins American Association championship, giving Kansas City its first farm club title. No other first year club in modern history has had a minor league champion above Class B.
September 11	—Ewing Kauffman announces plans for a Baseball Academy in Florida. Syd Thrift is named director.

STADIUM FACTS

	Royals Stadium	Municipal Stadium
Seating Capacity	40,589	35,057
Outfield Distances		
Left Field	330	369
Left Center	385	408
Center Field	410	421
Right Center	385	382
Right Field	330	338
Height of Fence	12 Feet	*13½ Feet

(*22 Feet in Center Field)

STARTING TIMES

Day Games (Single and Doubleheader)	1:30
Night Games (Single)	7:30
Twi-Night Doubleheaders	6:00

(Complete Schedule on Back Cover)

October 2 —First season ends with 69-93-1 record, just one win shy of modern day first year record. Royals finish fourth in American League West, two games out of first division.

October 24 —Paul Splittorff is promoted to major league roster, becoming first player signed originally by Royals to reach that level.

November 14 —Sarasota, Fla., is selected as site of Royals' new Minor League Complex and Baseball Academy.

November 26 —Lou Piniella is elected by Baseball Writers Association of America as American League Rookie-of-the-Year.

1970

January 20 —Ground is broken for Minor League Complex and Baseball Academy in Sarasota, Fla.

June 9 —Bob Lemon becomes manager.

July 14 —Amos Otis becomes first Royal to play in an All-Star Game. He plays last six innings at Cincinnati.

August 10 —Baseball Academy opens with 43 students.

September 7 —Baseball Academy wins its opening game from the Chicago Grays, 11-0.

September 21 —Jim York becomes first player originally signed by Royals to appear in a major league game. His 4 2/3 innings of 1-run relief earns an 8-2 win in the second game of a doubleheader at Chicago. Paul Splittorff debuts two days later.

1971

May 31 —Royals move into second place in the Western Division by sweeping a doubleheader in Boston, 7-3 and 9-4, and hold it the remainder of the year.

August 3 —Largest crowd ever to see a baseball game in Kansas City (35,623) watches the Royals play the Athletics.

September 26 —Royals win their 85th game of the season, 11 more than any previous Kansas City major league team, with a 5-3 decision over Minnesota in the second game of a doubleheader—on the final day of the home season. Attendance for the year is 910,784, best in Kansas City since 1959.

CEDRIC TALLIS
EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER

Cedric Tallis received baseball's highest executive award in 1971. He was named Major League Executive-of-the-Year by The Sporting News in its annual poll of owners and general managers.

The award paid tribute to Tallis for building an expansion franchise into a winning team in just three seasons. Outstanding trades have been his greatest accomplishments, but the success story started building soon after his January 16, 1968, appointment when he selected his baseball trained staff. Another major achievement came October 15, 1968, when Tallis—and his talent scouts—leaned heavily toward youthful selections in the expansion draft which stocked the Royals.

Tallis' selection as the No. 1 executive came 24 years after he started in baseball. His first opportunity came as general manager at Thomasville, Ga., in 1948. He developed his skills through positions at Jamestown, N.Y., Flint, Mich., Montgomery, Ala., Vancouver, B.C., and Seattle, Wash. He was Pacific Coast League Executive-of-the-Year in 1957 while at Vancouver. Vancouver drew 306,000 fans, a minor league figure unequalled for more than a decade afterward.

In 1961, Cedric became Business Manager of the California (nee Los Angeles) Angels. He became Vice President in charge of Operations in 1965, led the task force which oversaw construction of Anaheim Stadium and remained in that capacity until he accepted the Kansas City opportunity.

Cedric and wife Barbara own a home in Metropolitan Kansas City . . . daughter Gale is a student at the University of Kansas and son Gary attends Maur Hill High School in Atchison, Kan. . . . Tallis attended Concord (N.H.) College, then enlisted in the Army in 1940 . . . he received a commission after Infantry Officer Candidate School in 1941, served in the Aleutian Campaign and European Theatre and was released from active duty as a Major in 1948.

TALLIS' TRADE RECORD

DATE	TEAM	PLAYERS OBTAINED	PLAYERS TRADED
12-12-68	Angels	Ed Kirkpatrick, Dennis Paepke	Hoyt Wilhelm
12-16-68	Astros	Buck Martinez, +Tommy Smith, +Mike Sinnerud	John Jones
4- 1-69	Pilots	Lou Piniella	Steve Whitaker, +John Gelnar
12- 3-69	Mets	Amos Otis, Bob Johnson	Joe Foy
5-29-70	Red Sox	Tommy Matchick	Mike Fiore
6-13-70	Cardinals	Cookie Rojas	+Fred Rico
6-15-70	Orioles	Bob Floyd	Moe Drabowsky
7- 1-70	Cardinals	Ted Abernathy	+Chris Zachary
10-13-70	White Sox	Gail Hopkins, John Matias	Pat Kelly, Don O'Riley
10-19-70	Giants	Bob Garibaldi	Fran Healy
12- 2-70	Pirates	Fred Patek, Jerry May, Bruce Dal Canton	Bob Johnson, Jack Hernandez, +Jimmy Campanis
2- 2-71	Brewers	Carl Taylor	Ellie Rodriguez
5-11-71	Brewers	Ted Savage	Tommy Matchick
12- 2-71	Astros	John Mayberry, +Dave Grangaard	Lance Clemons, Jim York

+Player went on a minor league roster.

ROYALS AWARD WINNERS

MAJOR LEAGUE EXECUTIVE OF THE YEAR
1971—Cedric Tallis (The Sporting News)
ROOKIE OF THE YEAR
1969—Lou Piniella (BBWAA)
ALL-ROOKIE TEAM
1969—Bill Butler, LHP; Lou Piniella, OF, (Topps)
GOLD GLOVE
1971—Amos Otis, OF (The Sporting News)
ALL-LEAGUE TEAM
1971—Cookie Rojas, 2B (The Sporting News)

THE MANAGER

LEMON, ROBERT GRANVILLE #21

Bob, 6-0, 210, L-R, was born Sept. 22, 1920, at San Bernardino, Calif., now resides at Long Beach, Calif. . . . Lem and wife Jane have 3 sons, Jeff (4-6-48), who is married and lives in Long Beach; Jim (12-10-50), attending Creighton University in Omaha, Neb.; and Jerry (9-4-52), who is in the Air Force.

Lemon, the onetime standout pitcher of the Cleveland Indians, has made a strong mark as a manager in only one and a half major league seasons . . . Lem was elevated from pitching coach to manager on June 9, 1970, and his patience and easy-going manner of leadership have paid dividends beyond most expectations . . . his ability to bring the team so far in so short a time has been well recognized by his peers . . . in a poll of managers by The Sporting News, Lem was runnerup to San Francisco's Charlie Fox as Major League Manager-of-the-Year . . . Lem also finished second to Oakland's Dick Williams in The Associated Press voting for American League Manager-of-the-Year . . . Williams received 107 votes in that poll, Lemon 66, and Baltimore's Earl Weaver 59 . . . the Royals really started rolling for Lem late in 1970 . . . they were 21-21 from Aug. 17 on . . . the Royals scored their 100th victory under Lemon last Aug. 4 with a doubleheader victory over Minnesota . . . the success Lemon had in 1971 is just a continuation of his career in baseball which spans 35 years . . . his previous managing experience entailed 4 years in the Pacific Coast League . . . 3 of the 4 years resulted in first or second place finishes . . . he was named Minor League Manager-of-the-Year in 1966 by The Sporting News after his Seattle Angels won the PCL Western Division title and stopped Eastern champion Tulsa 4 games to 3 in the playoffs . . . he joined California as pitching coach the next 2 seasons then joined the Royals after a second place finish at Vancouver in 1969 . . . as a pitcher, Lem was one of the dominant figures in baseball . . . his 207 major league victories give him a share of 57th place on the all-time list . . . he lost just 128 times . . . the record is even more remarkable when one considers a 3-year Navy hitch interrupted at a time when Bob was making the transition from third base-centerfield to the mound . . . in fact, he came out of the service in 1946 and was the opening day centerfielder . . . Bob's accomplishments include being named the outstanding pitcher in the American League by The Sporting News in 1948, 1950 and 1954 . . . the Baseball Writers Association of America named him to the Major League All-Star team in those same years . . . he won the second and sixth (final) games of the 1948 World Series as the Indians defeated the Boston Braves, and was acclaimed the Cleveland BBWAA Man-of-the-Year . . . he helped Cleveland to another league title in 1954 . . .he was selected for 7 consecutive All-Star Games (1948-54), and hurled a no-hitter over Detroit on June 30, 1948, winning 2-0 . . . his league leadership list is lengthy (see playing record) but perhaps one of the most impressive came in 1948 when he hurled 10 shutouts . . . he had 31 for his career . . . Bob holds the major league record for pitchers for double plays in one season with 15 in 1953 . . . his fielding marks also include leading AL hurlers in putouts 5 times and assists 6 times . . . he was one of the major league's best hitting pitchers, too, after actually starting as an infielder-outfielder . . . his 37 career home runs are equal to the number hit by AL record-holder Wes Ferrell, but some of Lem's came as a pinch hitter . . .

LEMON NO. 1 HURLER ON 'FAME' LIST

With former Cleveland teammate Early Wynn and Sandy Koufax scheduled for induction at Cooperstown in 1972, Royals Manager Bob Lemon now ranks as the No. 1 pitcher on the doorstep to the Hall of Fame.

Lemon was the third highest vote-getter last winter among pitchers—behind Wynn and Koufax—for his outstanding accomplishments while hurling for the Cleveland Indians. Many an expert believe Lemon's election is overdue.

During his 13 years of pitching at Cleveland (1946-58), Lemon was consistently outstanding. His steadiness often made him the man the Tribe selected when it needed one key victory even though the staff was so outstanding as a unit that it frequently is referred to as the best ever in baseball. It already has 2 Hall of Famers in Wynn and Bob Feller.

Lem was the last American League pitcher to win 20 or more games 3 consecutive years (he did it twice and won 20 in 6 of 7 and 7 of 9 seasons) until Dave McNally, who posted his fourth 20-win campaign in as many tries in 1971. Additionally, he is one of only 4 AL hurlers ever to win 20 games 7 times.

His most impressive Hall of Fame credential may well be in his winning percentage. Among all 200-game winners (he won 207), Bob's .618 ranks 18th.

Only Whitey Ford (236-106, .690) and Juan Marichal (221-109, .670) have been active since Lemon, and neither is eligible for the Hall of Fame. Thirteen of the other 15 with better percentages already have been inducted. Additionally, more than half of the pitchers in the Hall of Fame had lower career percentages. Others won fewer games.

Lemon ranked seventh among all non-inductees in the most recent balloting with 117 votes.

he owned a .284 average (31-109) in the latter capacity . . . Bob signed with Cleveland scout John Angel after graduation from Long Beach's Woodrow Wilson High School.

Year Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1938 Oswego	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0.00
1941 Wilkes-Barre	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	3	0	9.00
1943-44-45						Military						
1946 Cleveland	32	5	1	4	5	94	77	40	26	68	39	2.49
1947 Cleveland	37	15	6	11	5	167	150	68	64	97	65	3.45
1948 Cleveland	43	37	‡20	20	14	‡294	231	104	92	129	147	2.82
1949 Cleveland	37	33	22	22	10	280	211	101	93	137	138	2.99
1950 Cleveland	44	37	*22	‡23	11	‡288	‡281	144	123	146	‡170	3.84
1951 Cleveland	42	34	17	17	*14	263	‡244	‡119	103	124	132	3.52
1952 Cleveland	42	*36	‡28	22	11	‡310	236	104	86	105	131	2.50
1953 Cleveland	41	36	23	21	15	‡287	‡283	119	107	110	98	3.36
1954 Cleveland	36	33	*21	*23	7	258	228	95	78	92	110	2.72
1955 Cleveland	35	31	5	*18	10	211	218	103	91	74	100	3.88
1956 Cleveland	39	35	*21	20	14	255	230	103	86	89	94	3.04
1957 Cleveland	27	17	2	6	11	117	129	70	60	64	45	4.62
1958 Cleveland	11	1	0	0	1	25	41	15	15	16	8	5.40
1958 San Diego	12	8	0	2	5	56	67	32	27	22	19	4.34
Major League Totals	466	350	188	207	128	2849	2559	1185	1024	1251	1277	3.23

‡Led league. *Tied for league lead.

Batting Record

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1938 Springfield	7	18	1	4	1	0	0	2	.....	.....	....	.222
1938 Oswego	75	282	44	88	6	6	7	34	26	77	4	.312
1939 Springfield	80	307	44	90	14	3	3	39	28	43	2	.293
1939 New Orleans	52	207	30	64	9	6	0	22	12	23	1	.309
1940 Wilkes-Barre	92	321	37	82	14	3	2	53	29	39	5	.255
1941 Wilkes-Barre	141	‡562	‡109	*169	15	13	4	43	39	63	9	.301
1941 Cleveland	5	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.250
1942 Baltimore	148	596	95	160	23	8	21	80	45	54	7	.268
1942 Cleveland	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	.000
1943-44-45 Cleveland						Military						
1946 Cleveland	55	89	9	16	3	0	1	4	7	18	0	.180
1947 Cleveland	47	56	11	18	4	3	2	5	6	9	0	.321
1948 Cleveland	52	119	20	34	9	0	5	21	8	23	0	.286
1949 Cleveland	46	108	17	29	6	2	7	19	10	20	0	.269
1950 Cleveland	72	136	21	37	9	1	6	26	13	25	0	.272
1951 Cleveland	56	102	11	21	4	1	3	13	9	22	0	.206
1952 Cleveland	54	124	14	28	5	0	2	9	4	21	0	.226
1953 Cleveland	51	112	12	26	9	1	2	17	7	20	2	.232
1954 Cleveland	40	98	11	21	4	1	2	10	6	24	0	.214
1955 Cleveland	49	78	11	19	0	0	1	9	13	16	0	.244
1956 Cleveland	43	93	8	18	0	0	5	12	9	21	0	.194
1957 Cleveland	25	46	2	3	1	0	1	1	0	14	0	.065
1958 Cleveland	15	13	1	3	0	0	0	1	1	4	0	.231
1958 San Diego	32	69	2	18	4	0	0	7	5	14	0	.261
Major League Totals	615	1183	148	274	54	9	37	147	93	241	2	.232

‡Led league. *Tied for league lead.

World Series Record

Year Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1948 Cleveland	2	2	1	2	0	16.1	16	4	3	7	6	1.65
1954 Cleveland	2	2	1	0	2	13.1	16	11	10	8	11	6.75
World Series Totals	4	4	2	2	2	29.2	32	15	13	15	17	3.94

All-Star Game Record

Year Club	GS	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1948 American	Selected-Did Not Play									
1949 American	Selected-Did Not Play									
1950 American	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	2	0	0.00
1951 American	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	1	0.00
1952 American	0	0	1	2	2	2	2	0	2	9.00
1953 American	Selected-Did Not Play									
1954 American	0	0	0	.2	1	0	0	0	0	0.00
All-Star Totals	0	0	1	6.2	6	2	2	3	3	2.70

MANAGERIAL RECORD

Year Club	League	Finish	W	L
1964 Hawaii	Pacific Coast	Sixth	60	98
1965 Seattle	Pacific Coast	Second	79	69
1966 Seattle	Pacific Coast	*First	83	65
1969 Vancouver	Pacific Coast	*+Second	71	73
1970 KANSAS CITY	American (‡a)	#+Fourth	46	64
1971 KANSAS CITY	American	# Second	85	76
Major League Totals			131	140

*Won playoffs. +Tied for position # Western Division

(‡a) Replaced Charlie Metro on June 9 with team (19-33) in fifth place.

Scout for Cleveland Indians 1959, coach for Cleveland Indians start of season through May 7, 1960, coach for Philadelphia Phillies 1961, pitching instructor and scout for Los Angeles Angels 1962-63, coach for California Angels 1967-68, coach for Kansas City Royals start of season through June 8, 1970.

THE COACHES

CISCO, GALEN BERNARD #3

Galen, 5-11, 210, R-R, was born March 7, 1937, at St. Marys, O., where he and wife Martha live with their sons, Galen (Chip), Jr. (9-5-58) and Jeff (12-31-61) . . . Galen is a graduate (1960) of Ohio State with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Education.

Cisco, a former major league pitcher with the New York Mets, Boston Red Sox and Royals, returns for his second year as Kansas City pitching coach . . . he was given much of the credit for the improvement of the Royals pitching staff in 1971 . . . for example, the staff gave up only 84 home runs, compared to 138 in 1970 . . . the team ERA dropped from 3.78 to 3.25 . . . Cisco's first coaching assignment was in 1970 with Kansas City's AAA farm club, Omaha . . . in his capacity as a player-coach, he helped the American Association team win its second consecutive championship . . . Cisco joined the Kansas City organization on Aug. 14, 1968, when he was acquired from Boston's Louisville farm club . . . he started '69 at Omaha, but joined the parent club in mid-June and lifted his playing time as a major leaguer to almost 6 years . . . his last major league victory was on June 28, 1969, when he blanked Minnesota for 2 innings . . . Galen tied a major league record on Sept. 21, 1962, when he struck out 4 pinch hitters . . . he fanned George Altman, Bob Will, Hobie Landrith and Cuno Barragan in beating the Chicago Cubs . . . 1964 may have been his best season . . . he was 6-19 for the last place Mets, but had a very acceptable 3.61 ERA in nearly 200 innings . . . in 1968, he led the International League in ERA and shutouts (6) . . . Galen's first fame was at Ohio State . . . he was the starting fullback for 3 seasons and helped the Buckeyes to 2 Big Ten championships and the national title in 1957 when he captained the team which defeated Oregon 10-7 in the Rose Bowl on Jan. 1, 1958 . . . he lettered twice in baseball, then cast his lot with Boston by signing for Dennis Galehouse . . . Galen also had 3 standout years at St. Marys Memorial High School.

Year Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1958 Raleigh	14	0	0	2	2	29	23	16	14	20	27	4.34
1958 Corning	18	16	8	4	10	122	124	71	53	64	100	3.91
1959 Allentown	2	0	0	0	1	1	3	2	2	1	0	18.00
1959 Raleigh	5	0	0	2	2	23	22	17	12	18	16	4.70
1959 Waterloo	23	23	20	15	7	182	142	63	45	62	165	‡2.23
1960 Minneapolis	33	17	2	3	7	138	122	54	45	45	70	2.93
1961 Seattle	9	9	5	6	1	70	55	20	12	20	37	1.54
1961 Boston	17	8	0	2	4	52	67	40	39	28	26	6.75
1962 Boston	23	9	1	4	7	83	95	66	62	50	43	6.72
1962 New York (NL)	4	2	1	1	1	19	15	7	7	11	13	3.32
1963 New York (NL)	51	17	1	7	15	156	165	88	75	64	81	4.33
1964 New York (NL)	36	25	5	6	19	192	182	85	77	54	78	3.61
1965 New York (NL)	35	17	1	4	8	112	119	63	56	51	58	4.50
1966 Jacksonville-Toronto	30	14	8	11	6	140	157	71	64	40	98	4.11
1967 Boston	11	0	0	0	1	22	21	10	9	8	8	3.68
1967 Pittsfield	4	1	0	0	0	11	5	3	1	1	7	0.82
1967 Toronto	10	9	3	3	5	65	63	20	15	13	46	2.08
1968 Louisville	29	29	13	11	12	204	157	58	50	60	157	‡2.21
1969 Omaha	10	9	5	3	4	63	77	40	35	15	42	5.00
1969 KANSAS CITY	15	0	0	1	1	22	17	11	9	15	18	3.68
1970 Omaha	24	4	1	6	3	76	63	25	21	17	49	2.49
Major League Totals	192	78	9	25	56	658	681	370	334	281	325	4.57

‡Led league.

Coach for Omaha Royals 1970, coach for Kansas City Royals 1971.

KANSAS CITY MANAGERIAL ROSTER

Year	Manager	Record
1955	Lou Boudreau	63-91
1956	Lou Boudreau	52-102
1957	Lou Boudreau	36-67
1957	Harry Craft	23-27
1958	Harry Craft	73-81
1959	Harry Craft	66-88
1960	Bob Elliott	58-96
1961	Joe Gordon	26-43
1961	Hank Bauer	35-57
1962	Hank Bauer	72-90
1963	Ed Lopat	73-89
1964	Ed Lopat	17-35
1964	Mel McGaha	40-70
1965	Mel McGaha	5-21
1965	Haywood Sullivan	54-82
1966	Al Dark	74-86
1967	Al Dark	52-69
1967	Luke Appling	10-29
1969	**Joe Gordon**	**69-93**
1970	**Charlie Metro**	**19-33**
1970	**Bob Lemon (June 9)**	**46-64**
1971	**Bob Lemon**	**85-76**
1972	**Bob Lemon**	—

DUNLOP, HARRY ALEXANDER #4

Harry, 6-3, 200, L-R, was born Sept. 6, 1933, at Sacramento, Calif., where he still lives with wife Joanne and their children, Laura (9-1-58), David (3-21-60) and Susan (7-31-62).

Dunlop is the only member of the Royals coaching staff who has been with the team from its beginning . . . his primary duties are as first base coach and working with the catchers, his position as a player . . . Dunlop managed for 8 years and proved himself a capable leader . . . he was California League Manager-of-the-Year in 1963 and 1967 and won 2 split season titles and 2 playoffs . . . most of his managing career was in the Baltimore and California organizations . . . he first managed when only 24 years old . . . that was at Tucson, Ariz. . . . he enjoyed his best offensive season as a player in that 1958 season by hitting .349, and he paced Arizona-Mexico League catchers in fielding (.992), putouts (806) and assists (81) . . . Harry turned pro out of Sacramento High School for Pittsburgh's Bob Fontaine, then caught 3 no-hit, no-run games in the 16 he played for Bristol, Tenn., that year . . . they were on May 13, 22 and 26 . . . one was Ron Necciai's 27-strikeout performance . . . although only 19, he managed an Army team at Camp Drake in Japan the next year and again in 1954 . . . Harry had several later years in which he posted outstanding defensive records, including 1959 when he set a Northwest League record with a (.992) fielding percentage . . . he led the California League (.989) in 1961 when he started a string of 7 consecutive years as a manager.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1952	Bristol	16	55	4	16	4	0	0	8	10	4	1	.255
1952	Burlington	70	223	19	53	9	0	1	31	30	23	3	.238
1953-54						Military							
1955	Lincoln	84	250	28	58	8	0	1	29	39	33	3	.232
1956	New Orleans	9	26	....	6	.....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	....	.231
1956	Williamsport	96	296	22	74	14	0	2	36	31	24	0	.250
1957	Lincoln	87	252	22	50	5	2	1	15	27	29	1	.198
1958	Tucson	112	427	70	149	26	8	4	77	48	23	12	.349
1959	Tri-City	134	453	58	118	22	0	3	60	65	28	6	.263
1960	Tri-Cities	119	387	58	129	22	0	2	68	58	21	6	.333
1961	Stockton	103	348	47	100	9	0	1	37	46	25	8	.287
1962	Stockton	78	201	22	50	9	1	1	24	26	16	1	.249
1963	Stockton	19	48	9	17	4	0	2	8	5	5	1	.354
1964	Stockton	28	69	7	17	0	0	2	6	5	8	0	.246
1965	Quad Cities	15	36	4	11	2	1	0	3	4	3	0	.306
1966	Quad Cities	9	14	1	6	2	0	0	1	3	0	0	.429

MANAGERIAL RECORD

Year	Club	League	Finish	W	L
1958	Tucson	Arizona-Mexico	Second	66	54
1961	Stockton	California	‡Sixth	21	46
			‡Third	33	36
1962	Stockton	California	‡Sixth	33	38
			‡Third	37	30
1963	Stockton	California	‡Second	41	31
			°‡First	46	21
1964	Stockton	California	‡Fourth	34	35
			‡Sixth	35	35
1965	Quad Cities	Midwest	‡Ninth	25	37
			‡Seventh	28	33
1966	Quad Cities	Midwest	‡Sixth	30	31
			‡Fourth	33	30
1967	San Jose	California	‡First	46	22
			°‡Second	40	30

°Won playoffs. ‡Split season.

Coach for Seattle of Pacific Coast League 1968, coach for Kansas City Royals 1969-71.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTORS FOR SPRING TRAINING

Tom Ferrick (#59), special assignment scout
Jack McKeon (#31), Omaha manager

ROYALS COACHES

1969—Harry Dunlop, Owen Friend, Mel Harder, Jo Jo White.
1970—Dan Carnevale, Harry Dunlop, Bob Lemon (through June 8), Joe Schultz, George Strickland (from June 9).
1971—Galen Cisco, Harry Dunlop, Charley Lau, George Strickland.

AMERICAN LEAGUE PUBLICITY DIRECTORS

Club	Name	AC	Office	Private	Home
Amer. League	Jack Sheehan	617	267-2500	267-2504	535-0446
Baltimore	Bob Brown	301	243-9800	235-9710	825-8560
Boston	Bill Crowley	617	267-9440	267-2890	444-8366
California	George Goodale	714	633-2000	633-1009	638-1539
	George Lederer				+421-8070
Chicago	Buck Peden	312	924-1000	624-6460	324-6000
Cleveland	Bob Walczak	216	861-1200	861-4454	886-4322
Detroit	Hal Middlesworth	313	962-4000	962-0825	963-3922
		(night)	962-4006		
KANSAS CITY	**BOB WIRZ**	**816**	**†241-4101**	**†483-4205**	**796-8055**
	GENE DIEFENDORF		**‡921-8000**	**‡921-7322**	**444-6794**
Milwaukee	Bill Curley	414	933-8650	933-6975	332-4632
Minnesota	Tom Mee	612	854-4040	866-3530	447-2065
New York	Bob Fishel	212	293-4300	293-0165	355-2433
Oakland		415	635-4300		
Texas	Burt Hawkins	817	265-9101		265-8708

+Area code is 213 †Municipal Stadium ‡Royals Stadium

LAU, CHARLES RICHARD #24

Charley, 6-0, 200, L-R, was born April 12, 1933, at Romulus, Mich. . . . he and wife Evelyn spent the winter in Venezuela but plan to make their home in Kansas City . . . he managed LaGuaira into the Venezuelan League playoff finals where they lost to Aragua 4 games to 3.

Lau, the Royals' organizational hitting instructor in 1971, will work strictly with the major league team in 1972 . . . he is considred an excellent teacher . . . much of the teaching knowledge was acquired during the latter stages of his playing career when he was used primarily as a pinch hitter . . . Lau was hitting coach for 2 other teams prior to joining the Royals . . . he was with Oakland in 1970 and Baltimore in 1969 . . . in his only year as a manager, he led Shreveport to a second place finish in the Eastern Division of the Texas League in 1968 . . . that followed a 16-year professional career as a catcher broken only by 2 years in military service . . . he was on Baltimore's championship team in 1966 but played only the first and last months of the season . . . he went on the disabled list on May 12 and underwent surgery the following day to remove scar tissue from his right elbow . . . he was reactivated Sept. 1 and appeared as a pinch-hitter 10 times the rest of the season . . . he had 5 hits, including 2 doubles and a triple and drove in 4 key runs . . . he did not play defensively all year and was not eligible for the World Series which the Orioles swept in 4 games from the Dodgers . . . during his mid-summer absence, he worked with youngsters on the Orioles' Appalachian League team at Bluefield, W. Va. . . . earlier in his career, Lau caught Warren Spahn's second no-hitter . . . that was against the Giants in 1961 . . . he holds Baltimore records for most doubles (4) in a game . . . he did it on July 13, 1962 against the Indians . . . that also tied the major league record . . . he tied the major league record for most hits by a pinch-hitter in an inning with 2 in the 8th inning on June 23, 1964.

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1952 Jamestown	92	295	53	98	27	5	7	58	49	30	5	.332
1953-54					Military							
1955 Durham	127	396	69	116	18	5	18	75	97	73	4	.293
1956 Charleston	110	322	32	83	11	4	12	53	49	48	1	.258
1956 Detroit	3	9	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.222
1957 Charleston	70	202	23	49	14	1	8	25	37	33	1	.243
1958 Charleston	39	115	10	33	5	0	3	14	14	9	0	.287
1958 Detroit	30	68	8	10	1	2	0	6	12	15	0	.147
1959 Detroit	2	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	.167
1959 Charleston-Louisville	121	390	55	114	29	2	20	79	40	53	1	.292
1960 Milwaukee	21	53	4	10	2	0	0	2	6	10	0	.189
1961 Milwaukee	28	82	3	17	5	0	0	5	14	11	1	.207
1961 Vancouver	45	143	22	42	7	1	6	22	22	12	3	.294
1961 Baltimore	17	47	3	8	0	0	1	4	1	3	0	.170
1962 Baltimore	81	197	21	58	11	2	6	37	7	11	1	.294
1963 Baltimore	29	48	4	9	2	0	0	6	1	5	0	.188
1963 KANSAS CITY	62	187	15	55	11	0	3	26	14	17	1	.294
1964 KANSAS CITY	43	118	11	32	7	1	2	9	10	18	0	.271
1964 Baltimore	62	158	16	41	15	1	1	14	17	27	0	.259
1965 Baltimore	68	132	15	39	5	2	2	18	17	18	0	.295
1966 Baltimore	18	12	1	6	2	1	0	5	4	1	0	.500
1967 Baltimore	11	8	0	1	1	0	0	3	2	2	0	.125
1967 Atlanta	52	45	3	9	1	0	1	5	4	9	0	.200
Major League Totals	527	1170	105	298	63	9	16	140	109	160	3	.255

MANAGERIAL RECORD

Year Club	League	Finish	W	L
1968 Shreveport	Texas	# Second	78	62

Eastern Division

Coach for Baltimore Orioles 1969, coach for Oakland Athletics 1970, coach for Kansas City Royals 1971.

STRICKLAND, GEORGE BEVAN #11

George, 6-1, 195, R-R, was born Jan. 10, 1926, at New Orleans, La., where he resides with wife Lorraine and son John (3-15-55) . . . Strick is a nickname.

Strickland is starting his second full year with the Royals as third base coach . . . he joined the team as a coach on June 9, 1970, the day ex-Cleveland teammate Bob Lemon became manager . . . 6 of George's first 9 years as a coach (1962-63-66-68-69-71) have been on the third base line although he did leave that post for the final month and a half in 1966 when he replaced Birdie Tebbetts as Cleveland manager for a second time . . . Strickland, who had 10 years as a major league player, also serves as infield instructor . . . his best season was 1953 when he hit .284 and led American League shortstops in double plays (103) . . . he was a key man again in 1954 when the Indians won a record 111 games, although he did miss nearly 7 weeks because of a broken jaw . . . he came back in '55 to lead AL shortstops in fielding (.976) . . . George tied a major league record for most double plays (5) by a shortstop in one game on Sept. 27, 1952 . . . he still owns a share of that record . . . in 1949, he led Southern Association shortstops in fielding (.952) . . . the New Orleans Pelicans' Vince Rizzo first signed Strickland after graduation from S. J. Peters High School.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1943	New Orleans	3	8	0	2	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	.250
1944-45						Military							
1946	New Orleans	78	231	25	56	11	1	2	23	23	24	5	.242
1947	Scranton	134	452	70	106	20	7	4	73	77	54	11	.235
1948	Louisville	105	367	53	87	8	9	1	39	54	51	5	.237
1948	Scranton	35	114	5	21	1	1	0	10	17	24	0	.184
1949	Birmingham	128	417	56	109	18	5	5	66	77	82	5	.261
1950	Pittsburgh	23	27	0	3	0	0	0	2	3	8	0	.111
1951	Pittsburgh	138	454	59	98	12	7	9	47	65	83	4	.216
1952	Pittsburgh	76	232	17	41	6	2	5	22	21	45	4	.177
1952	Cleveland	31	88	8	19	4	0	1	8	14	15	0	.216
1953	Cleveland	123	419	43	119	17	4	5	47	51	52	2	.284
1954	Cleveland	112	361	42	77	12	3	6	37	55	62	1	.213
1955	Cleveland	130	388	34	81	9	5	2	34	49	60	0	.209
1956	Cleveland	85	171	22	36	1	2	3	17	22	27	0	.211
1957	Cleveland	89	201	21	47	8	2	1	19	26	29	1	.234
1958						Voluntarily Retired							
1959	Cleveland	132	441	55	105	15	2	3	48	52	64	0	.238
1960	Cleveland	32	42	4	7	0	0	1	3	4	8	0	.167
Major League Totals		971	2824	305	633	84	27	36	284	362	453	12	.225

World Series Record

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1954	Cleveland	3	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	.000

MANAGERIAL RECORD

Year	Club	League	Finish	W	L
1964	Cleveland	American	(‡a) Fifth	40	37
1966	Cleveland	American	(‡b) Fifth	16	23
Major League Totals				56	60

(‡a) Served as temporary manager from start of season until July 3 when Birdie Tebbetts, who had suffered a heart attack in spring training, resumed as manager.
(‡b) Replaced Birdie Tebbetts, August 20.

Scout for Cleveland Indians 1961, coach for Minnesota Twins 1962, coach for Cleveland Indians 1963-69, coach for Kansas City Royals from June 9, 1970-71.

OUT-OF-TOWN-HOTELS

City	Hotel or Motel	Telephone
Anaheim	Grand	714/772-7777
Baltimore	Lord Baltimore	301/539-8400
Boston	Statler Hilton	617/426-2000
Chicago	Executive House	312/346-7100
Cleveland	Hollenden House	216/861-4100
Dallas	Sheraton-Dallas	214/748-6211
Detroit	Howard Johnson's	313/965-1050
Milwaukee	Pfister Tower	414/273-8222
Minneapolis	Leamington	612/333-6161
New York	Essex House	212/247-0300
Oakland	Edgewater Hyatt House	415/562-6100

THE PLAYERS

R-R ABERNATHY, TED WADE (P) #36

Ted, 6-4, 210, was born March 6, 1933, at Stanley, N.C., now calls Gastonia N.C., home . . . Abby and wife Margie have 2 sons, Teddy (10-17-57) and Todd (10-24-63) . . . Ted is an industrial representative for an oil company during the off-season.

Abernathy, acquired from the St. Louis Cardinals on July 1, 1970, starts his 20th season as a pro in 1972 . . . he is one of baseball's few submarine pitchers and easily the most successful . . . he went over the 600 level in pitching appearances in 1971 . . . the 600th came on June 19 against California . . . he finished with 636 to rank 23rd on the all-time list . . . Abby is in an even more elite group of relievers . . . 602 of his appearances have been in relief, putting him 7th in that category . . . Hoyt Wilhelm leads with 1002, followed by Roy Face (821), Don McMahon (797), Lindy McDaniel (759), Ron Perranoski (702) and Stu Miller (611) . . . Abby's 63 appearances in '71 were 4th in the league . . . his 520 appearances in the last 8 years average out to 65 per year . . . at that pace, he could move into 12th place on the all-time list for appearances in 1972 . . . only 4 will tie him with Dutch Leonard and Gerry Staley for the 21st spot . . . he was not scored on in his first 8 appearances in '71 and in only 1 of his first 13 . . . he didn't allow a run in 7 of his last 8 games in '70 . . . in a stretch of 10 appearances from April 28-May 19 last summer Abby had 1 victory and 5 saves . . . he chalked up 23 saves for the year and teamed with Tom Burgmeier (9 wins, 17 saves) to give the Royals the best left-right relief punch in the AL . . . Abby was used primarily in short relief and finished 3rd in the AL Fireman race . . . only twice did he fail to retire a batter . . . he set a Royals record by finishing 46 games . . . his longest stretch during the season was 3 innings . . . he did that 3 times . . . he worked 5 innings vs. Baltimore on July 22, 1970 . . . after reporting to the Royals earlier that month, he won 3 games and saved 1 in 5 appearances his first 6 days with the club . . . his first of 2 Fireman-of-the-Year awards from The Sporting News came in 1965 after he had established National League records for most games pitched and most games in relief—both 84 . . . the marks since have been broken . . . he still shares the NL record for games finished with 62 . . . Abby did it in 1965, Jim Konstanty of the Philadelphia Phillies in 1950 and Phil Regan of the Cubs in 1968 . . . Abby was named the top fireman again in 1967 and was second to Regan in '68 . . . Ted's early career was greatly affected by injuries, which forced him to the underhand or submarine delivery . . . he first injured his arm in high school in 1948 which forced a switch from overhand to sidearm motion . . . he was forced to the submarine delivery after an additional injury in 1957 . . . Washington was his original club as the late Chick Suggs signed him to his first pact.

Year	Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1952	Roanoke Rapids	37	0	23	20	13	255	187	70	48	103	293	1.69
1953	Chattanooga	7	6	4	4	1	52	35	14	9	28	34	1.56
1954								Military					
1955	Washington	40	14	3	5	9	119	136	87	79	66	79	5.97
1956	Louisville	36	31	19	12	°16	‡231	‡229	122	100	92	‡212	3.90
1956	Washington	5	4	2	1	3	30	35	16	14	10	18	4.20
1957	Washington	26	16	2	2	10	85	100	65	64	65	50	6.78
1958	Chattanooga	30	22	6	9	9	147	152	85	77	85	79	4.71
1959	Miami	1	0	0	0	0	2	3	2	2	1	1	9.00
1959	Charlotte	2	2	0	0	2	11	8	13	8	9	3	6.55
1960	Washington	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	4	4	1	12.00
1960	Austin	11	0	0	2	4	19	16	7	6	7	9	2.84
1960	Louisville	22	0	0	1	1	51	30	14	13	24	33	2.29
1961	Vancouver-Salt Lake	45	0	0	7	3	92	80	41	38	51	70	3.72
1962	Jacksonville	45	0	0	5	2	72	48	18	15	33	48	1.88
1963	Jacksonville	14	0	0	2	1	26	11	1	1	6	16	0.35
1963	Cleveland	43	0	0	7	2	59	54	25	19	29	47	2.90
1964	Cleveland	53	0	0	2	6	73	66	40	35	46	57	4.32
1965	Chicago (NL)	‡84	0	0	4	6	136	113	49	39	56	104	2.58
1966	Chi. (NL)-Atlanta	58	0	0	5	7	93	84	53	47	53	60	4.55
1967	Cincinnati	°70	0	0	6	3	106	63	19	15	41	88	1.27
1968	Cincinnati	‡78	0	0	10	7	135	111	43	37	55	64	2.47
1969	Chicago (NL)	56	0	0	4	3	85	75	38	30	42	55	3.18
1970	Chicago-St. Louis	22	0	0	1	0	27	24	8	8	17	10	2.67
1970	KANSAS CITY	36	0	0	9	3	56	41	23	16	38	49	2.57
1971	KANSAS CITY	63	0	0	4	6	81	60	28	23	50	55	2.56
Major League Totals		636	34	7	59	65	1085	966	498	430	572	737	3.58

‡Led League. °Tied for league lead.

Major League Batting Record

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1971	KANSAS CITY	63	13	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	.077
Major League Totals		636	175	12	25	3	0	0	9	6	71	0	.143

BATTING-PITCHING QUALIFICATIONS

To qualify for the American League batting championship, a player must have 502 or more plate appearances. (This is equivalent to at least 3.1 for each of the 162 scheduled games.)

Pitchers must work 162 or more innings to qualify for the earned run average title.

L-L ANGELINI, NORMAN STANLEY (P) #49

Norm, 5-11, 175, was born Sept. 24, 1947, at San Francisco, Calif. . . . he is single and resides in Half Moon Bay, Calif. . . . he has attended the College of San Mateo and Washington State University, now studies at San Francisco State College in the off-season.

Angelini, signed by the Royals as a free agent in 1969, was promoted to the major league roster after a promising year in 1971 at Elmira, N.Y., of the Eastern League . . . his earned run average was one of the best in the league although he did not have enough innings to qualify for the title . . . he missed much of the first half of the season because of military duty and was used primarily as a reliever . . . in the second half, he switched to a starting role . . . he was used by the parent Royals in an exhibition game against the Pirates in Pittsburgh . . . after a shaky first inning in which the Pirates scored 2 runs, Angelini settled down and shut out the Bucs in 3 of his next 4 innings, allowing only 1 run in the other . . . although not overpowering, Angelini's strikeout ratio has been good in each of the leagues in which he has performed . . . he pitched in the Peninsula Winter League following the 1969 and 1970 seasons . . . in '69, he had a 5-2 record, 1.80 ERA and led the league in strikeouts (101 in only 65 innings) . . . in '70, he was 2-0 with a 3.12 ERA . . . after the 1971 season, Norm had a 2-1 record and 1.93 ERA in 6 games—5 starting roles—in the Florida Instructional League . . . Angelini graduated from San Mateo's Serra High School in 1965 after starring in baseball . . . at the College of San Mateo in 1966, he had an 8-0 record and 1.50 ERA and was named to the All-Golden Gate Conference team . . . in 1969 at Washington State, he was 8-5 with 2.18 ERA and was named to the second team of the All-Pacific Eight Conference team . . . Dick Hager signed him to his first professional contract.

Year	Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1969	Winnipeg	13	10	2	5	3	72	58	33	24	18	74	3.00
1970	San Jose	21	17	7	8	8	129	115	47	38	34	136	2.65
1971	Elmira	26	6	4	5	6	70	53	21	13	18	79	1.67

R-R AUTRY, ALBERT, JR. (P) #47

Al, 6-5, 200, was born Feb. 29, 1952, at Modesto, Calif., where he still resides . . . he is single.

Autry, the Royals' 4th draft choice in the regular phase of the 1969 June Free Agent Draft, was placed on the major league roster for the first time after the 1971 season . . . his future looks bright . . . an excellent fastball has made his strikeout ratio extremely good throughout his professional career . . . he pitched in the Florida Instructional League last fall where he had a 1-2 record and 4.03 ERA . . . he helped pitch a no-hitter against the Baseball Academy on Nov. 1 . . . Autry went the first 6 innings of the rain-shortened 7-inning game which the Royals won, 6-0 . . . Lloyd Gladder pitched the other inning . . . Autry graduated from Modesto's Davis High School in 1969 where he starred in baseball and basketball . . . he was signed by Western Scouting Director Rosey Gilhousen.

Year	Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1969	Winnipeg	8	7	0	0	5	30	43	34	30	28	40	9.00
1970	Waterloo	3	3	0	1	0	11	13	8	6	10	15	4.91
1970	Billings	7	7	2	2	5	43	41	40	30	42	49	6.28
1971	Waterloo	3	3	1	1	2	20	11	6	2	12	28	0.90
1971	San Jose	22	22	6	8	11	134	116	84	61	85	149	4.10

L-L BURGMEIER, THOMAS HENRY (P) #22

Tom, 5-11, 185, was born Aug. 2, 1943, at St. Paul, Minn. . . . he and wife Betsy reside in Overland Park, Kan. . . . nicknames are Bergie or Bugs . . . he has worked for the Royals each of the last 2 winters.

Burgmeier, selected from California in the 4th round of the expansion draft, blossomed into one of the top southpaw relief pitchers in the American League in 1971 . . . his 26 relief points (9 wins, 17 saves) were 4th in the league fireman race . . . he teamed with Ted Abernathy (4 wins, 23 saves) to give the Royals the top left-right duo in the AL . . . Tom set a Royals record for appearances by a pitcher in a season with 67 . . . he allowed only 3 hits and no runs in his first 5 relief appearances of the year . . . on April 18 in Milwaukee, he became the only Royals pitcher to be involved in the decision in both ends of a doubleheader . . . he won the opener, lost the nightcap, a 13-inning game . . . he had a string of 13 appearances from July 5 to Aug. 15 in which he was involved in the decision or recorded a save 12 times . . . beginning on Aug. 21, Tom had a string of 11 appearances in which he recorded 4 saves, won 5 times and lost only once . . . he allowed only 2 earned runs in 11 appearances in September, had 3 saves and a 3-1 record and was voted Royals Pitcher-of-the-Month . . . Tom is also a fine hitter and fielder . . . he has been used as a pinch hitter and pinch runner . . . he won the Rawlings Silver Glove Award in 1967 when he handled more chances (75) without an error than any other minor league pitcher . . . Houston signed Bergie originally . . . he signed again in 1964 for California Scout Rosey Gilhousen, now the Royals' Western Scouting Director . . . Tom was a 3-sport star (hockey, wrestling and baseball) at Cathedral High School in St. Cloud, Minn. . . . he pitched 2 no-hitters and led the baseball team to an undefeated season and the state championship in 1961.

Year Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1962 Modesto	34	27	10	12	11	197	204	122	95	100	210	4.34
1963 San Antonio	6	6	0	1	4	34	46	27	24	14	19	6.42
1963 Durham	15	15	1	3	9	76	98	55	40	30	43	4.74
1964 Modesto-San Jose	22	18	7	8	7	122	149	82	67	30	89	4.94
1965 Seattle	22	17	6	8	7	129	114	57	46	32	94	3.21
1966 Seattle	12	9	2	2	5	41	50	31	28	16	23	6.15
1966 El Paso	16	11	2	4	8	73	87	52	40	28	40	4.93
1967 Seattle	32	30	‡15	11	14	230	199	81	71	44	114	2.78
1968 California	56	2	0	1	4	73	65	41	35	24	33	4.32
1969 KANSAS CITY	31	0	0	3	1	54	67	31	25	21	23	4.17
1970 Omaha	10	0	0	3	1	22	10	3	3	7	9	1.23
1970 KANSAS CITY	41	0	0	6	6	68	59	31	24	23	43	3.18
1971 KANSAS CITY	67	0	0	9	7	88	71	23	17	30	44	1.74
Major League Totals	195	2	0	19	18	283	262	126	101	98	143	3.21

‡Led league

Major League Batting Record

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1971 KANSAS CITY	68	20	2	5	2	0	0	0	1	7	0	.250
Major League Totals	228	54	17	10	2	0	0	0	3	16	1	.185

L-L BUTLER, WILLIAM FRANKLIN (P) #29

Bill, 6-2, 205, was born March 12, 1947, at Hyattsville, Md. . . . he now resides in Overland Park, Kan., with wife Carol, daughter Christine (9-18-66) and son Brian (9-25-71) . . . he has attended Benjamin Franklin University in Washington, D.C. . . . Bill worked at the Harry S. Truman Sports Complex last winter.

Butler, a 3rd round choice from Detroit in the expansion draft, hopes to continue a comeback from elbow surgery in 1972 . . . the surgery was performed after the 1970 season—it was to correct a nerve irritation—and Bill started 1971 with Omaha . . . his last 4 decisions there were wins—2 by shutout—and he was called up to the parent club in late June . . . he started in Oakland in the 2nd game of a June 27 doubleheader and won 6-3 . . . Bill lost his next 2 starts but gave up only 3 earned runs in more than 11 innings . . . Butler had 1 outstanding stretch of 13 innings in which he allowed only 7 hits and no runs . . . in his last 16 innings, he walked only 1 man and struck out 15 . . . he was named to a spot on the Topps Major League Rookie all-star team in 1969 when his 7.24 strikeout ratio for every 9 innings was 4th in the AL . . . he fanned 10 three times . . . Bill had 4 shutouts, including a 1-hitter against the Indians at Cleveland on Aug. 9 . . . Eddie Leon's 1-out single in the third was all that prevented a no-hitter . . . his first major league appearance was in a relief role on April 9, 1969 . . . Bill pitched 5 innings of 1-hit ball against Minnesota . . . in 1970, he was KC's Pitcher-of-the-Month in April . . . he had a 7-inning no-hitter for Rocky Mount on June 30, 1966, but lost to Raleigh in the first extra inning, 1-0 . . . he had 6 shutouts to share the Carolina League lead the next season . . . Bill was a baseball and basketball star for 4 years at Herndon (Va.) High School before George Ferrell signed him for Detroit.

Year Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1965 Duluth-Superior	2	1	1	1	0	11	8	3	2	4	18	1.64
1965 Daytona Beach	12	8	4	6	2	66	40	19	18	41	63	2.45
1966 Rocky Mount	29	21	7	9	13	148	119	64	57	92	122	3.47
1967 Rocky Mount	28	25	10	12	9	163	127	68	52	96	154	2.87
1967 Montgomery	4	4	1	1	2	20	17	9	8	8	7	3.60
1968 Montgomery	46	7	0	5	3	96	74	38	33	33	137	3.09
1969 KANSAS CITY	34	29	5	9	10	194	174	91	84	91	156	3.90
1970 KANSAS CITY	25	25	2	4	12	141	117	66	59	87	75	3.77
1970 Omaha	4	4	1	1	1	20	15	7	5	6	10	2.25
1971 Omaha	13	13	3	6	5	84	80	36	35	36	67	3.76
1971 KANSAS CITY	14	6	0	1	2	44	45	19	17	18	32	3.48
Major League Totals	73	60	7	14	24	379	336	176	160	196	263	3.79

Major League Batting Record

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1971 KANSAS CITY	14	12	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	10	0	.083
Major League Totals	73	116	1	6	0	0	0	6	9	79	0	.052

R-R DAL CANTON, JOHN BRUCE (P) #43

Bruce, 6-2, 205, was born June 15, 1942, at California, Pa. . . . he now resides in Pittsburgh, Pa., with wife Helene . . . he is a substitute high school teacher in general science and biology while continuing graduate work at California (Pa.) State College where he has a Bachelor of Science Degree in Education . . . he has also attended the University of West Virginia in Morgantown.

Dal Canton, who came to the Royals with Fred Patek and Jerry May in a Dec. 2, 1970, trade which sent Bob Johnson, Jack Hernandez and Jimmy Campanis to Pittsburgh, stepped into the Royals' starting rotation at the

beginning of 1971 . . . an irritation in his shoulder limited his effectiveness the second half . . . it forced him on the disabled list from Aug. 5 to Sept. 1, although full recovery is expected for 1972 . . . he had already lived up to his reputation of being a winner, though, with a 8-3 record . . . he was not involved in a decision in his first 2 appearances for the Royals and was the loser in a 5-4 game to Minnesota on April 20 . . . then he won his next 4 starts, tying a Royals record . . . he started it with his first complete game in the AL, an 8-1 victory over Detroit, then combined with Ted Abernathy on a 2-0 victory at Cleveland . . . he missed his first major league shutout by 1 out . . . perhaps his best game of the year followed . . . he defeated Baltimore, 4-1, with the only run scoring on an error . . . it was his second complete game in 3 starts . . . the 4th win in the string was over Oakland, 5-4, on May 15 . . . after the Oakland win, his ERA was 2.08 . . . it stayed below 3.00 until the shoulder problem cropped up . . . in his stretch of 4 wins, he allowed only 3 earned runs in 34 innings, a spectacular 0.79 ERA . . . Dal Canton's first 20 appearances were in starting roles . . . after coming off the disabled list, he appeared in 5 games, only 2 of them starts . . . Dal Canton had a 20-8 record for Pittsburgh as a starter and reliever . . . he went more than a year at 1 span without a loss . . . he was 7-0 from June 26, 1969, to July 20, 1970 . . . his first major league victory as a starter was on July 22, 1970 when he turned back Atlanta, 5-3 . . . he went 7 innings and allowed only 1 of Atlanta's 3 runs . . . his first complete game was against Don Drysdale at Dodger Stadium on Sept. 26, 1967 . . . he allowed 3 hits and 3 runs in the first, then blanked Los Angeles on 3 hits the rest of the way only to lose, 3-1 . . . he is primarily a fastball, curveball pitcher but uses a palmball as a changeup . . . Dal Canton earned 4 baseball letters at California State where he helped the team to 2 NAIA District 30 championships . . . he once struck out 20 of the 21 batters he faced in a game . . . he signed with Pittsburgh's Rex Bowen and Merle Hess after a Forbes Field workout in 1965 . . . Bruce weighed about 250 pounds at the time but shed much of that and was in the majors in his second season.

Year Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1966 Columbus	14	4	0	1	1	33	46	15	14	16	17	3.82
1966 Asheville	5	5	2	2	1	34	31	16	13	10	21	3.44
1967 Macon	14	13	5	5	5	93	73	37	32	23	68	3.10
1967 Pittsburgh	8	2	1	2	1	24	19	5	5	10	13	1.88
1968 Columbus	11	4	0	0	4	24	33	25	22	12	15	8.25
1968 York	11	11	4	5	2	71	59	21	18	23	52	2.28
1968 Pittsburgh	7	0	0	1	1	17	7	4	4	6	8	2.12
1969 Pittsburgh	57	0	0	8	2	86	79	34	32	49	56	3.35
1970 Pittsburgh	41	6	1	9	4	85	94	48	43	39	53	4.55
1971 KANSAS CITY	25	22	2	8	6	141	144	63	54	44	58	3.45
Major League Totals	138	30	4	28	14	353	343	154	138	148	188	3.52

Major League Batting Record

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1971 KANSAS CITY	25	46	4	4	0	0	0	2	1	19	0	.087
Major League Totals	130	75	6	7	0	1	0	4	5	32	0	.093

Championship Series Record

Year Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1970 Pittsburgh	Eligible—Did not Play											

R-R DEMERY, ARTHUR (P) #46

Art, 5-10, 172, was born Jan. 30, 1950, at Bakersfield, Calif. . . . now resides at Wasco, Calif. . . . he is single.

Demery, a regular phase selection in the June Free Agent Draft in 1969, has shown considerable promise in his brief professional career . . . he was promoted to the Royals' major league roster last fall after a good year at San Jose although his season was cut short when he broke his right ankle on Aug. 6 . . . the injury also kept him out of the Florida Instructional League . . . his 1970 season was also cut short by an injury, a torn ligament in his left ankle . . . he has an outstanding strikeout ratio for his 3 years but the injuries have slowed his development . . . in 288 total innings, he has struck out 319 batters . . . he graduated from Wasco High School after a 3-sport career (baseball, basketball, football) . . . he pitched and played the outfield . . . his father, Artist Demery, played in the Negro professional leagues for many years . . . Demery was signed by Western Scouting Director Rosey Gilhousen.

Year Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1969 Winnipeg	16	6	1	3	4	57	50	34	32	37	60	5.05
1970 Elmira	5	5	0	0	4	17	22	20	16	20	14	8.47
1970 San Jose	11	10	3	3	4	76	59	25	15	28	114	1.78
1971 San Jose	24	24	5	9	7	138	125	74	62	67	131	4.04

R-R DRAGO, RICHARD ANTHONY (P) #41

Dick, 6-1, 191, was born June 25, 1945, at Toledo, Ohio . . . he and wife Vicky and son Darren (10-11-70) reside in Overland Park, Kan. . . . Dick has attended the University of Detroit and the University of Tampa . . . he worked as a salesman for a real estate firm last winter.

Drago, a 4th round selection from Detroit in the expansion draft, had his best major league season in 1971 as he set Kansas City records for victories and complete games . . . Dick was given the starting nod in the season operner in California and responded with a 4-1 victory . . . it was one of his best games . . . he allowed 6 singles, no walks and the run was unearned . . . that set a pattern as he became one of the league's most consistent hurlers . . . he also pitched the home opener but lost to Minnesota, 2-0 . . . he seldom overpowers hitters, but relies instead on pinpoint control with each of his pitches and is an excellent competitor . . . Dick walked only 3 batters (1 of those intentionally) in his first 48 innings and issued just 46 passes in 241 innings . . . he had 5 complete games without any walks . . . another example of control is that he did not throw a wild pitch his first 251 major league innings, and has been charged with just 7 in 3 years . . . he also is stingy in allowing home runs . . . he didn't allow any in his last 25 innings of 1970 or his first 88 innings of '71 until Bill Melton homered in Chicago on June 22 . . . Melton did it again the next day as the first man Drago faced in his only relief role of the year . . . he gave up just 12 more homers during the year . . . the 2 games in Chicago were a nightmare . . . in 1.1 innings, Dick allowed 13 hits, 14 runs (13 earned) and his ERA jumped from 2.38 to 3.64 . . . without those outings, he would have had the AL's 3rd best ERA of 2.51 . . . in only 6 of his 34 starts did he allow more than 3 earned runs . . . he didn't surrender any 6 times, just 1 on 6 other occasions, 2 10 times and 3 6 times . . . included in Dick's 4 shutouts were back-to-back whitewashes just before the Chicago trip . . . he blanked Boston 7-0 on June 12 and California 5-0 just 5 days later . . . his shutout string lasted 19 innings . . . from June 27-Aug. 18, Dick was involved in a decision in each of his starts . . . he jumped his record from 7-3 to 15-7 . . . he had a decision in 22 of his last 25 games . . . included in that stretch were a club record 7 consecutive complete games in which he gave up just 9 earned runs in 58 innings (1.40) . . . one was a 4½-inning contest in Baltimore in which he gave up only 1 hit, a 1st inning homer to Frank Robinson, and lost, 1-0 . . . it was his only defeat in the 7 games . . . KC won 20 of his 34 starts . . . Drago was Royals Pitcher-of-the-Month in April and July and was named Pitcher-of-the Year by writers and broadcasters who cover the club . . . he was 1 of only 6 AL hurlers to receive support in Cy Young Award voting . . . the only Kansas City expansion draftee who has been with the team every day, Dick leads the Royals for their 3 years in such important categories as wins, innings, complete games and starts . . . his major league strikeout high is 9, set July 23, 1970, against Baltimore . . . he still hasn't defeated Detroit, the organization which signed him, although the Royals won 2 of his 4 Detroit starts in 1970 . . . one of the losses was by a 2-0 score . . . he faced the Tigers only once in 1971 and left the game for a pinch-hitter after 8 innings with the score tied, 1-1 . . . the Tigers won in 10 innings, 2-1 . . . Herman Kander signed Dick out of Toledo's Woodward High School . . . he never was sent down by any professional club and climbed 1 classification each year until he reached the majors . . . he hurled 17 minor league shutouts, including a league-leading 7 in the Carolina League in 1966 and a league-tying 4 in the Southern League the next year . . . Dick and Darrel Clark hurled back-to-back no-hitters in a May 15, 1966, doubleheader against Greensboro in the Carolina League . . . Drago won the first game in 7 innings, 5-0 . . . he helped hometown Toledo to the International League championship in 1968.

Year Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1965 Daytona Beach	14	11	6	4	7	80	84	42	29	28	64	3.26
1965 Rocky Mount	13	8	3	1	7	62	66	36	24	30	41	3.48
1966 Rocky Mount	29	26	14	15	9	186	144	45	37	49	151	1.79
1967 Montgomery	28	28	12 ‡15	10	179	171	65	48	54 ‡134			2.41
1967 Toledo	1	0	0	0	0	3	2	1	1	0	1	3.00
1968 Toledo	27	27	9	15	8	182	163	77	68	43	146	3.36
1969 KANSAS CITY	41	26	10	11	13	201	190	95	84	65	108	3.76
1970 KANSAS CITY	35	34	7	9	15	240	239	110	100	72	127	3.75
1971 KANSAS CITY	35	34	15	17	11	241	251	84	80	46	109	2.99
Major League Totals	111	94	32	37	39	682	680	289	264	183	344	3.48

‡Led league

Major League Batting Record

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1971 KANSAS CITY	35	77	3	10	3	0	0	4	8	44	0	.130
Major League Totals	111	205	7	17	4	0	0	7	13	113	0	.083

S-R FITZMORRIS, ALAN JAMES (P) #23

Al, 6-2, 185, was born March 21, 1946, at Buffalo, N.Y. . . . he and wife Jan now call Overland Park, Kan., home . . . he is a singer and song-writer and has been in the entertainment business in the off-season . . . he is also attending Johnson County Community College . . . a nickname is Fitz.

Fitzmorris, a 4th round choice from Chicago in the expansion draft, was a starter and reliever in 1971, and could do both again in '72 . . . actually,

only 3 of his first 24 appearances were starts, then he broke into the starting rotation for good on Aug. 1 . . . his last 12 appearances were starts . . . he induces many ground balls . . . in the second game of a doubleheader on Aug. 4, Fitz hurled no-hit ball for 6 innings against Minnesota and ended with a 2-hit, 3-0 shutout, his first in the major leagues . . . Harmon Killebrew broke up the no-hitter with a leadoff single in the 7th . . . that was Al's best game of the season although he had 2 others which rivaled that performance . . . one was against Oakland in Kansas City . . . he went 10.2 innings, allowed 7 hits (only 4 through the first 10 innings), but lost, 2-1 . . . the other was at Minnesota when he had his other complete game . . . he allowed only 5 hits in a 4-2 victory . . . he won 4 consecutive starts at 1 stretch . . . Al was named Pitcher-of-the-Month in May, 1970 . . . Fitz started in pro ball as an outfielder . . . he hit .237 at Appleton with 16 doubles, 6 triples, 5 home runs and 45 RBI in 1966 . . . he didn't begin steady mound work until 1967 . . . he is a switch-hitter who became the only Royal to get a hit from both sides of the plate in 1 game . . . he did it against Detroit on July 19, 1970 . . . he paced American Association pitchers in assists (33) in 1969 . . . White Sox Scout Jack Keilch signed Fitz after graduation from San Diego's James Madison High School in 1964.

Year	Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1965	Sarasota						Did Not Pitch						
1965	Clinton						Did Not Pitch						
1966	Lynchburg						Did Not Pitch						
1966	Appleton	4	1	0	0	0	14	7	2	2	7	15	1.29
1967	Appleton	24	24	16	14	8	190	131	66	48	61	167	2.27
1968	Lynchburg	27	27	13	11	11	198	152	81	60	78	‡214	2.73
1969	Omaha	29	20	9	10	6	144	147	73	60	54	95	3.75
1969	KANSAS CITY	7	0	0	1	1	11	9	5	5	4	3	4.09
1970	KANSAS CITY	43	11	2	8	5	118	112	60	58	52	47	4.42
1971	KANSAS CITY	36	15	2	7	5	127	112	61	59	55	53	4.18
Major League Totals		86	26	4	16	11	256	233	126	122	111	103	4.29

‡Led league

Major League Batting Record

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1971	KANSAS CITY	36	44	6	11	1	0	0	3	0	16	0	.250
Major League Totals		88	76	11	20	5	0	0	8	3	26	0	.263

R-R FLOYD, ROBERT NATHAN #15

Bob, 6-0, 181, was born Oct. 20, 1943, at Hawthorne, Calif. . . . he now makes his winter home in Kansas City . . . he is single and has attended UCLA . . . he worked as a salesman during the off-season.

Floyd, acquired in a trade with Baltimore on June 15, 1970, for Moe Drabowsky, likely will hold down a utility role again in 1972 . . . he can handle third base, second base and shortstop . . . Bob spent the last half of 1971 with the Royals after being recalled from Omaha on June 28 . . . he was used as a pinch hitter and runner in addition to playing the 3 infield positions . . . Floyd's best streak for the Royals came at the close of 1970 . . . in 10 games, he hit .424 (14-33), including 8-for-13 (.615) in 3 consecutive games against Minnesota . . . he was fresh from helping Omaha to its second consecutive American Association title . . . Floyd first went to the majors after an excellent season at Rochester in 1968 . . . he was selected as the shortstop on the National Association AAA-East all-star team . . . he won defensive honors at shortstop 2 times in the minors . . . he led the Eastern League in fielding (.956), putouts (230) and assists (382) in 1966 and topped the Northwest League in putouts (260) in 1965 . . . Baltimore's Ed Burke signed him out of UCLA where he played baseball . . . he captained the baseball and football teams at El Segundo (Calif.) High School.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1964	Elmira	12	34	3	3	1	0	0	0	3	12	1	.088
1964	Stockton	123	468	62	126	19	9	3	48	53	93	20	.269
1965	Tri-City	°139	517	57	142	21	4	7	70	48	92	8	.275
1966	Elmira	140	504	53	125	18	3	2	50	53	91	7	.248
1967	Rochester	105	329	50	80	17	4	1	25	24	69	0	.243
1968	Rochester	102	359	47	103	11	2	6	52	25	78	2	.287
1968	Baltimore	5	9	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	0	.111
1969	Baltimore	39	84	7	17	4	0	0	1	6	17	0	.202
1970	Rochester	35	131	12	38	7	2	1	14	15	24	2	.290
1970	Baltimore	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	.000
1970	KANSAS CITY	14	43	5	14	4	0	0	9	4	9	0	.326
1970	Omaha	62	236	36	69	11	1	2	32	19	35	0	.292
1971	Omaha	69	263	30	70	12	1	0	16	23	36	2	.266
1971	KANSAS CITY	31	66	8	10	3	0	0	2	7	21	0	.152
Major League Totals		92	204	20	42	12	0	0	13	17	52	0	.206

°Tied for league lead

Championship Playoff Record

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1969	Baltimore	Eligible-Did Not Play											

World Series Record

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1969	Baltimore	Eligible—Did Not Play											

R-R HAYNES, WILLIAM DANIEL (1B) #45

Dan, 6-3, 220, was born Oct. 22, 1949, at Atlanta, Ga. . . . he and wife Jean now make their home in East Point, Ga. . . . he has attended DeKalb Junior College in Clarkston, Ga., majoring in physical education . . . he works in a warehouse during the winter.

Haynes, a 3rd round choice from Chicago in the expansion draft, continued his steady development in 1971 . . . he started the year in the pitching-strong Eastern League and accumulated 10 home runs in just 48 games . . . he was moved to Omaha and added 5 more homers, including 2 in a game against the Iowa Oaks in which he also had a double and a single and drove in 7 runs . . . still, he may need more seasoning . . . also a good glove man, he led Carolina League first basemen in fielding (.989) in 1969 . . . Haynes played baseball at Headland High School in East Point . . . he helped the high school and his American Legion team to 2 state titles apiece and twice was named to the Georgia all-stars . . . even then he had excellent power and Walt Widmayer signed him for the White Sox.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1967	Sarasota	43	145	15	35	‡11	0	0	21	14	21	9	.241
1968	Appleton	44	176	30	36	7	0	5	25	9	34	9	.205
1968	Duluth-Superior	63	222	32	63	13	0	8	42	18	41	5	.284
1969	Hi.Pt.-Thomasville	140	495	56	130	21	0	15	75	27	87	4	.263
1970	Elmira	88	288	33	65	12	0	8	29	33	59	4	.226
1971	Elmira	48	180	25	47	7	0	10	40	9	31	1	.261
1971	Omaha	43	162	25	49	12	0	5	32	15	20	1	.302

‡Led league

R-R HEDLUND, MICHAEL DAVID (P) #32

Mike, 6-1, 185, was born Aug. 11, 1946, at Dallas, Tex. . . . he and wife Shirley and daughter Gina (11-19-68) now make Arlington, Tex., home . . . Mike has attended the University of Texas at Arlington and TCU and enjoys mechanical work . . . he was among a group of major league players and officials who visited military hospitals in Vietnam after the 1971 season . . . then he went to work for the Texas Rangers, selling tickets and making appearances . . . a nickname is Booger Red or just Red because of his red hair.

Hedlund, chosen from Cleveland in the expansion draft's 5th round, became a solid winner for the Royals in 1971 . . . his 15 victories rank him third among Kansas City major league pitchers behind Dick Drago (17 wins, 1971), and Bud Daley (16, 1959 and 1960) . . . Hedlund won 3 of his first 4 starts and the Royals won all of his first 5 . . . his 3rd win also was his first major league shutout, a 3-hit, 6-0 victory over Cleveland, his former organization . . . Mike allowed only 5 earned runs in his first 28 innings (1.61 ERA) and ended the season with a 2.71 ERA, best ever among Kansas City major league pitchers with enough innings to qualify for the ERA title . . . his ERA was 4th among all American League pitchers in 1971 . . . Mike finished very strong . . . he was involved in the decision in 9 of his last 10 appearances, winning 7 while losing only 2 . . . the no-decision start was a KC win . . . his ERA over the span was 1.97 (16 earned runs in 73 innings) . . . included were 4 consecutive victories Aug. 10-28, tying a club record for a starter . . . after suffering a 1-0 loss at Milwaukee on Sept. 2, he reeled off 3 more consecutive wins before a no-decision effort in California . . . his finale was a 2-1 loss at Oakland in which he hurled a 3-hitter . . . he had 2 1-0 defeats for the year . . . Hedlund's success in '71 was especially gratifying to him because of a disappointing 1970 season . . . he had been counted on as a starter in '70 after a brilliant winter season in Venezuela . . . he pitched for LaGuaira and didn't give up an earned run his first 53 innings . . . the previous Venezuelan record was 27 innings . . . his ERA for 66 innings was 0.14 . . . he went on to win the ERA title at 0.75 and had a 10-3 record, however, he also contracted a viral infection which was to limit his effectiveness throughout 1970 . . . he started that season on the disabled list . . . he was weak from a weight loss which amounted to almost 30 pounds at 1 time . . . he was activated 2 weeks into the season, but still was under par . . . he was sent to Omaha on May 19 and helped the AAA Royals to a championship, but never fully regained his strength . . . his only physical problem in 1971 was an occasional back pain . . . Mike got his first major league win in his first start . . . he beat Seattle 2-1 on April 22, 1969 . . . his major league strikeout high is 8 . . . in 1968, for Waterbury in the Eastern League, he won a trio of 1-0 games, each with a 1-hitter . . . Thurman Munson broke 1 of the no-hit bids up with a 2-2 count and 2 out in the ninth . . . Bobby Goff signed Mike for Cleveland in 1964 . . . he spent most of the season on the Cleveland bench or on the disabled list . . . his amateur work was impressive . . . he had 6 no-hitters, including 2 perfect games, in various programs and was an all-star pitcher in the Connie Mack World Series in 1963.

Year	Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1964	Burlington	7	5	0	0	3	25	25	14	9	16	17	3.24
1965	Cleveland	6	0	0	0	0	5	6	4	3	5	4	5.40
1966	Pawtucket	34	15	2	6	7	110	111	65	53	55	75	4.34
1967	Portland	7	7	2	1	3	42	47	26	20	22	25	4.29
1967	Pawtucket	20	17	4	7	8	102	89	35	29	40	56	2.56
1968	Waterbury	27	22	11	8	13	168	113	60	43	55	‡149	2.30
1968	Cleveland	3	0	0	0	0	2	6	2	2	2	0	9.00
1969	KANSAS CITY	34	16	1	3	6	125	123	53	45	40	74	3.24
1970	KANSAS CITY	9	0	0	2	3	15	18	13	12	7	5	7.20
1970	Omaha	28	17	5	9	4	131	119	59	49	31	81	3.37
1971	KANSAS CITY	32	30	7	15	8	206	168	68	62	72	76	2.71
Major League Totals		84	46	8	20	17	353	321	140	124	126	161	3.16

‡Led league

Major League Batting Record

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1971	KANSAS CITY	32	68	2	6	0	0	0	2	2	26	0	.088
Major League Totals		84	106	4	11	0	0	0	3	3	46	1	.105

L-R HOPKINS, GAIL EASON (1B) #18

Gail, 5-10, 200, was born Feb. 19, 1943, at Tulsa, Okla . . . he and wife Carol and their children Leah (12-1-67) and Gail, Jr. (10-29-69) make their home in Elmhurst, Ill. . . . he has a Bachelor of Science Degree in Biology and a Masters Degree in Religion from Pepperdine College in Los Angeles and has attended UCLA . . . he is currently working toward a PhD in Biochemistry at Chicago's Illinois Institute of Technology . . . Gail has taught school, and is a consultant for the Mickey Owen Baseball School in Miller, Mo.

Hopkins, acquired from the Chicago White Sox along with John Matias in a Oct. 13, 1970, trade for Don O'Riley and Pat Kelly, was an integral part of the Royals' success in 1971 . . . he was acquired primarily as a pinch-hitter but he ended up playing more games at first base (83) than any other Royal . . . of the Royals' last 95 games, Hopkins played in 70 at first base . . . Hopkins had a streak in July in which he had 13 hits in 21 times at bat (.619) . . . over a longer period that month he was 20-for-40 . . . he hit in 11 of 13 games in that time and drew 9 walks . . . he had a 4-hit game Aug. 8 vs. Milwaukee that jumped his season average to .317 . . . he is one of the toughest batters in the majors to strike out . . . in 295 at bats in 1971, Gail fanned only 13 times . . . he has only 63 strike-outs in 992 major league at bats, not quite one for every 16 at bats . . . his pinch-hitting average in 1971 was .294 (5-for-17) including a home run against New York's Lindy McDaniel on June 5 . . . he now has a .284 pinch-hitting average (21-for-74) in his last 3 years and a .266 mark (25-for-94) in the majors . . . in the only 2 times he has had enough plate appearances to qualify for a batting title, he has ranked high . . . he was seventh in the Florida State League in 1965 and third in the Carolina League 2 years later . . . he was the Florida State League's all-star catcher and led in fielding (.985), putouts (961) and assists (85) that first year . . . he was a catcher for Pepperdine and led the team with a .400-plus average in both 1964 and 1965 then signed for White Sox scout E. S. (Doc) Bennett . . . he coached the Pepperdine team in 1968 and was elected to the school's Hall of Fame in 1969 . . . he attended Jordan High School in Long Beach, Calif., the hometown of Manager Bob Lemon.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1965	Sarasota	126	401	49	109	8	3	0	54	70	30	6	.272
1966	Lodi	106	316	45	113	17	0	12	66	52	28	1	.358
1967	Lynchburg	132	429	81	134	18	4	20	79	100	27	1	.312
1968	Hawaii	22	68	4	22	5	0	0	10	8	2	0	.324
1968	Evansville	43	136	23	44	4	1	2	29	22	17	1	.324
1968	Chicago (AL)	29	37	4	8	2	0	0	2	6	3	0	.216
1969	Chicago (AL)	124	373	52	99	13	3	8	46	50	28	2	.265
1970	Chicago (AL)	116	287	32	82	8	1	6	29	28	19	0	.286
1971	KANSAS CITY	103	295	35	82	16	1	9	47	37	13	3	.278
Major League Totals		372	992	123	271	39	5	23	124	121	63	5	.273

L-L HOVLEY, STEPHEN EUGENE (OF) #30

Steve, 5-10, 175, was born Dec. 18, 1944, at Ventura, Calif . . . he now resides in Ojai, Calif., with wife Lynne and children Amy (1-25-66) and David (10-12-68) . . . he has a Bachelor of Arts Degree in history from Stanford.

Hovley, selected from the Oakland Athletics' Iowa farm club in the major league draft on Nov. 29, 1971, will battle for an outfield job in 1972 . . . he has good credentials as a contact hitter . . . his speed and line drive hitting should be of extra benefit on artificial turf . . . Steve also is a solid defensive player . . . he started 1971 with Oakland but was sent to Iowa and recalled 3 times before finally being sent there to finish the season on July 31 . . . he had moved to Oakland June 11, 1970, in a swap for Tito

Francona and Al Downing . . . in his first pro year, Steve led the California League in fewest strikeouts (48) and outfield assists (16) and was named to the league all-star team . . . all this followed an outstanding career in high school and college . . . he played baseball, basketball and football at Villanova Prep in Ojai . . . Steve was named to the All-California Interscholastic Federation baseball team in 1961-62-63 . . . he hit .620 his senior year . . . at Stanford, Hovley was named to the All-California Intercollegiate team in 1965 and to the All-NCAA District 8 team in 1966 . . . he was named to the second team All-America unit selected by The Sporting News and was chosen to play for the United States at the World Amateur Baseball Tournament in Honolulu, Hawaii, the same year . . . he was signed to his first contract by Rosey Gilhousen (now the Royals Western Scouting Director) for the California Angels, and taken by Seattle in the expansion draft.

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1967 San Jose	116	411	62	112	19	7	14	56	59	48	18	.273
1968 Seattle	142	475	56	114	14	3	7	32	42	59	12	.240
1969 Rochester	57	204	41	60	7	2	8	24	24	19	3	.294
1969 Seattle (AL)	91	329	41	91	14	3	3	20	30	34	10	.277
1970 Milwaukee	40	135	17	38	9	0	0	16	17	11	5	.281
1970 Oakland	72	100	8	19	1	0	0	1	5	11	3	.190
1971 Oakland	24	27	3	3	2	0	0	3	7	9	2	.111
1971 Iowa	69	261	37	88	20	1	1	26	26	29	6	.337
Major League Totals	227	591	69	151	26	3	3	40	59	65	20	.255

L-L KEOUGH, JOSEPH WILLIAM (OF) #16

Joe, 6-0, 185, was born Jan. 7, 1946, at Pomona, Calif., but now makes his home in Overland Park, Kan., with wife Becky, daughter Tracy (3-17-67) and son Graig (6-7-70) . . . Joe attended Mount San Antonio Junior College in Walnut, Calif., and Arizona State University . . . he was a salesman for a national real estate company during the off-season and is active in the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

Keough, taken from Oakland as the Royals' 4th choice in the expansion draft, still is seeking the top form he had before suffering a broken leg on June 28, 1970 . . . he started the 1971 season as the regular rightfielder and played more games there than any Royal, but it was not until mid-season that he enjoyed any degree of success offensively . . . from June 22-Aug.31, Joe hit .323 on 50 hits in 155 at bats . . . he hit in 22 of 27 games at one stretch and hit safely in 11 of 12 games the last 2 weeks of August with 17 hits in 48 at bats (.354) . . . his slow start and a late season slump brought his average down . . . he had been outstanding in 1970 until the injury . . . he was hitting .322--6th best in the league--when he suffered the broken leg sliding home against California . . . ironically, he got his chance when Lou Piniella injured a foot on May 8 . . . Joe made the most of it by batting .447 (21-47) the next 12 games . . . from May 8 until his injury, he batted .338 while hitting safely in 32 of 43 games . . . he was the Royals Player-of-the-Month for May . . . Joe had an exciting start for Kansas City when his long pinch single to right in the 12th gave the Royals a 4-3 win over Minnesota on April 8, 1969 in their first regular season game ever . . . he had 7 hits in his first 12 at bats, then went into a tailspin which included on 0-for-44 streak . . . Joe first batted in the majors in Yankee Stadium on Aug. 7, 1968, and became the 10th player in major league history to debut with a pinch home run . . . he connected off Lindy McDaniel . . . only 36 others had homered in their first at bat . . . in his second professional season, he led the Florida State League in hits, home runs, runs batted in and total bases (241) and was second in runs and tied for second in doubles . . . he easily made the all-league team . . . Art Lilly, now a Royals scout, and Don Lindeberg signed Joe for the Kansas City Athletics . . . he was a 4-sport star at Pomono's Ganesha High School, then helped Mount San Antonio to a state baseball title and was an All-America quarterback . . . he threw 20 touchdown passes . . . older brother Marty played in the majors . . . another brother, Tom, also played pro baseball.

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1966 Burlington	114	386	57	87	10	2	14	60	64	76	9	.225
1967 Leesburg	136	507	95	‡149	20	9	‡18	‡80	67	41	22	.294
1968 Birmingham	87	321	40	96	19	5	7	52	28	42	2	.299
1968 Oakland	34	98	7	21	2	1	2	18	8	11	1	.214
1969 KANSAS CITY	70	166	17	31	2	0	0	7	13	13	5	.187
1969 Omaha	52	210	35	66	8	6	3	37	16	25	12	.314
1970 KANSAS CITY	57	183	28	59	6	2	4	21	23	18	1	.322
1971 KANSAS CITY	110	351	34	87	14	2	3	30	35	26	0	.248
Major League Totals	271	798	86	198	24	5	9	76	79	68	7	.248

PLAYER REPRESENTATIVE

1971-72—JOE KEOUGH

L-R KIRKPATRICK, EDGAR LEON (C-OF) #8

Ed, 6-0, 200, was born Oct. 8, 1944, at Spokane, Wash. . . . he and wife Judy and sons Jeff (9-24-64), Steve (2-12-66) and Dave (2-4-67) now live in Overland Park, Kan. . . . Ed worked for the Royals last winter . . . a nickname is Spanky.

Kirkpatrick, obtained with Dennis Paepke in a Dec. 12, 1968, trade with the California Angels for Hoyt Wilhelm, again filled a multi-purpose role for the Royals in 1971 . . . he was used frequently as a catcher and played all 3 outfield positions, at times on consecutive days . . . he had 2 hitting streaks of 9 games, 1 from April 14-May 4 (13-for-37, .351) and the other from May 25-June 8 (13-for-30, .433) . . . his average was at a season high of .272 June 11 . . . he had 2 home runs in a game against Cleveland on July 16, the 5th time he has done it as a Royal . . . Spanky has led Royals lefthanders in homers twice, shared the lead last year . . . he should become more of a steady threat in 1971 with closer fences in Royals Stadium . . . Ed's versatility was known from the day he joined the Royals . . . in 1969, he played 7 positions . . . he had caught off and on ever since coming to the majors, but in 1970 he received his first steady duty behind the plate . . . he took over the No. 1 backstop job in mid-June and held it through the rest of the season . . . he had more RBI than any catcher in the American League although some of his actually came while at other positions . . . he shared the league lead in double plays with Paul Casanova with 12 and was 4th in assists with 61 . . . he also had his best home run and RBI production in 1970 . . . he hit his first major league grand slam on Aug. 13 in Boston . . . Ed had a great finish in 1969 . . . he hit .311 after the All-Star Game and .343 in September . . . in his last 3 games, he was 9-for-11, scored 6 times, drove in 11 runs, had 1 double, 1 triple, 4 home runs and 3 game-winning hits . . . 7 of the hits were in succession . . . he was on base 9 consecutive times and 10 of 12 . . . he had 11 and 12 total bases in consecutive games against Chicago and California to fall 2 shy of tying the major league record shared by Ty Cobb and Joe Adcock . . . the 6 extra base hits in 2 games tied the American League mark held by many players and was 1 short of the major league record . . . Ed had another great streak for Quad Cities in 1962 . . . he drove in 24 runs his last 7 games . . . he set a California record for most pinch hits in a season in 1968 with 14-for-42 . . . Ed, Lou Piniella and Dick Drago are the only 3 Royals who have been with the team steadily since that first game in 1969 . . . Tufie Hashem and Walter Storm signed him for the Angels after a 3-sport career at Glendora (Calif.) High School.

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1962 San Jose	19	48	8	17	3	0	3	7	5	4	1	.394
1962 Quad Cities	45	168	35	64	10	7	9	62	16	17	2	.381
1962 Los Angeles (AL)	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	.000
1963 Los Angeles (AL)	34	77	4	15	5	0	2	7	6	19	1	.195
1963 Nashville	47	165	16	50	6	4	6	30	14	27	0	.303
1963 Hawaii	49	142	28	50	5	2	8	31	24	20	3	.352
1964 Los Angeles (AL)	75	219	20	53	13	3	2	22	23	30	2	.242
1964 Hawaii	45	138	19	30	5	0	6	16	19	31	2	.217
1965 Seattle	141	508	73	148	29	5	20	82	61	73	18	.291
1965 California	19	73	8	19	5	0	3	8	3	9	1	.260
1966 California	117	312	31	60	7	4	9	44	51	67	7	.192
1967 Seattle	120	419	48	95	14	0	15	54	70	73	15	.227
1967 Jacksonville	17	50	5	7	3	0	1	3	8	17	1	.140
1967 California	3	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	.000
1968 California	89	161	23	37	4	0	1	15	25	32	1	.230
1969 KANSAS CITY	120	315	40	81	11	4	14	49	43	42	3	.257
1970 KANSAS CITY	134	424	59	97	17	2	18	62	55	65	4	.229
1971 KANSAS CITY	120	365	46	80	12	1	9	46	48	60	3	.219
Major League Totals	714	1960	231	442	74	14	58	253	254	330	22	.225

R-R KNOOP, ROBERT FRANK (2B) #19

Bobby, 6-1, 180, was born Oct. 18, 1938, at Sioux City, Ia . . . he and wife Darleen and daughter Christie (6-26-58) reside in Yorba Linda, Calif.

Knoop, obtained from the Chicago White Sox on March 24, 1971, in a trade for Omaha infielder Luis Alcaraz and cash, filled a vital utility role last summer . . . he pinch-hit early, then replaced Cookie Royas at second base the last 40 games when an injury struck . . . Knoop's first 3 hits for Kansas City were in pinch-hitting roles . . . the first was a double against Oakland which drove in 2 runs and the second a 2-run single against the A's, a game-winning hit in a 10-4 victory . . . he responded to playing regularly late in the year with a 10-for-23 (.435) streak . . . has been one of the best defensive second basemen for years . . . his .984 fielding percentage was third best in the American League in 1970 and he tied for second in double plays with 102 . . . while with California, he was voted by his teammates as winner of the Owners' Trophy as the team's most valuable player 4 times in a 5-year span (1964-65-66-68) . . . he once led the league in triples and was selected the starting AL second baseman for the 1966 All-Star game . . . he tied the major league record for most games in a rookie season and led the AL in double plays (123) and assists (522) . . . he also led in double plays in 1966 (135), 1967 (91) and 1968 (94) and set the pace in putouts (381), assists (488) and percentage (.981) in 1966 and in putouts (376) in 1967 . . . Bobby captured the AL Gold Glove Award 3 consecutive times (1966-68) . . . he set major league records for second basemen in 1966 with 6 double plays May 1 at Boston and 12 putouts Aug. 30 vs. Boston . . . he tied a major league record for double plays in a doubleheader by a second baseman on May 1 of that year with 8 . . . he led in numerous fielding

departments in the minor leagues and made the all-star teams in the Sooner State League in 1957 and the Three-I League in 1958 . . . he graduated from Montebello (Calif.) High School . . . Bobby was signed to his first professional contract by Milwaukee Braves scouts Jim Reid and John Moore.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1956	Leesburg	42	137	12	26	6	1	1	9	13	48	3	.190
1957	Lawton	125	471	61	123	22	4	11	67	37	100	6	.261
1958	Cedar Rapids	121	417	63	114	22	1	7	61	41	83	3	.273
1959	Austin	*146	549	44	145	24	7	3	72	37	93	1	.264
1960	Louisville	19	72	5	17	2	1	0	2	6	19	1	.236
1960	Austin	88	332	47	93	17	2	5	35	34	59	5	.280
1961	San Diego—Van.	114	290	27	58	14	2	4	23	26	63	1	.200
1962	Toronto	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	.000
1962	Hawaii	95	320	41	84	12	1	11	43	31	55	0	.262
1963	Hawaii	146	555	72	157	19	1	20	67	38	93	2	.283
1964	Los Angeles (AL)	162	486	42	105	8	1	7	38	46	109	3	.216
1965	California	142	465	47	125	24	7	7	43	31	101	3	.269
1966	California	161	590	54	137	18	*11	17	72	43	144	1	.232
1967	California	159	511	51	125	18	5	9	38	43	134	2	.245
1968	California	152	494	48	123	20	4	3	39	35	128	3	.249
1969	California	27	71	5	14	1	0	1	6	13	16	1	.197
1969	Chicago (AL)	104	345	34	79	14	1	6	41	35	68	2	.229
1970	Chicago (AL)	130	402	34	92	13	2	5	36	34	79	0	.229
1971	KANSAS CITY	72	161	14	33	8	1	1	11	15	36	1	.205
	Major League Totals	1109	3525	329	833	124	29	56	324	295	815	16	.237

*Led league.

R-R MARSHALL, KEITH ALAN (OF) #44

Keith, 6-2, 175, was born July 2, 1951, at San Francisco, Calif . . . he is single and now lives in Anaheim, Calif., where he is a part-time coach at Loara High School in the off-season . . . he attended Cypress (Calif.) Junior College and Arizona State University, majoring in physical education.

Marshall, selected by the Royals in the June, 1969, Free Agent Draft, is considered one of the best young prospects in the Kansas City organization . . . all he needs is experience . . . he helped Elmira, N. Y., win the Eastern League title in 1971, and made steady offensive improvement . . . his defensive skills already are considered outstanding . . . he led Eastern League outfielders in defense (.985) . . . he has great range and his speed also shows up on the basepaths . . . he was 5th in batting in the Appalachian League in 1969 and led the Eastern League in sacrifice hits (16) in 1970 . . . he was a 3-sport star at Loara High School . . . he hit .511 and played in the first annual North-South California Prep All-Star Game in San Francisco's Candlestick Park his senior year . . . he was signed by Western Scouting Director Rosey Gilhousen.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1969	Kingsport	57	218	39	76	14	1	1	24	17	35	14	.349
1970	Elmira	127	413	40	89	13	1	4	29	44	78	10	.215
1971	Elmira	129	470	65	123	15	2	4	33	51	45	14	.262

R-R MARTINEZ, JOHN ALBERT (C) #6

Buck, 5-11, 190, was born Nov. 7, 1948, at Redding, Calif. . . . he now calls Kansas City home . . . he is single, has attended Sacramento State College and Sacramento City College.

Martinez, obtained with Tommy Smith and Mike Sinnerud in a Dec. 16, 1968 trade with Houston for John Jones, hopes again to place himself solidly in the Royals' catching picture in 1972 . . . he was the opening game receiver in 1971 but did not see much action because of experienced hands Jerry May and Ed Kirkpatrick . . . it was felt he needed day-to-day work, something he had missed in 1970 because of a 4-month military stint, so he was optioned to Omaha . . . except for 5 days in June, he stayed with Omaha until Aug. 7, then again rejoined the Royals . . . he still was required to perform military duty on some weekends and played in only 97 games all season so for the 2nd winter in a row he played winter ball for Santurce in the Puerto Rican League . . . he owns a rifle arm, and has shown potential with the bat . . . Buck shared the Kansis City catching duties the last half of the 1969 season when only 20 . . . he reported from Sacramento State College in early June, was activated June 17 and pinch hit in both games of a doubleheader the next day . . . he singled the second time up . . . he started for the first time on June 28 against Minnesota and hit a 415-foot home run off Dave Boswell his second time up, making him one of the youngest players ever to homer in his first starting role . . . he also twice blocked Twins runners for outs at home plate . . . the next day he had 3 singles in 4 at bats against the Twins . . . he wound up with 3 hits in 4 of the first 18 games he caught . . . his performance earned him a share of the Sacramento Man-of-the-Year award for sports with Bob Oliver . . . Martinez was second in the Northwest League in hitting his rookie year, tied for the assists lead for catchers (40) and made the all-league club . . . he attended Elk Grove (Calif.) High School, then was Most Valuable

Player at Sacramento State . . . Philadelphia Phillies scout Eddie Bockman signed him to his first professional contract.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1967	Eugene	77	269	53	96	16	4	2	46	25	33	4	.357
1968	Tidewater	36	110	10	31	12	1	1	14	7	12	0	.282
1968	Spartanburg	8	28	6	11	4	0	0	11	4	1	0	.393
1969	KANSAS CITY	72	205	14	47	6	1	4	23	8	25	0	.229
1970	KANSAS CITY	6	9	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	.111
1971	KANSAS CITY	22	46	3	7	2	0	0	1	5	9	0	.152
1971	Omaha	75	269	34	77	23	1	5	39	35	40	0	.286
Major League Totals		100	260	18	55	8	1	4	24	15	35	0	.212

R-R MAY, JERRY LEE (C) #12

Jerry, 6-2, 200, was born Dec. 14, 1943, at Staunton, Va., where he resides with wife Juanita and son Jeff (11-20-65) . . . he is in public relations and sales for an automobile company in the off-season.

May, acquired with Fred Patek and Bruce Dal Canton in a Dec. 2, 1970, trade with Pittsburgh for Bob Johnson, Jack Hernandez and Jimmy Campanis, took over as the Royals' No. 1 catcher in 1971 . . . it was a season liberally spotted with injuries, though . . . Jerry was placed on the disabled list twice and was out of action for substantial lengths of time on 3 other occasions . . . a lot of the credit for the improvement in the Kansas City pitching staff went to Jerry . . . his leadership and poise proved a valuable asset in many close games . . . he committed just 1 error in 353 chances, and his .997 percentage was shaded only by Thurman Munson (.998) . . . he had a sore arm in spring training, then lost 12 days in late April and early May with a heavy chest cold, but from May 10 through June 20 (first game), he was behind the plate in every game . . . during that span, the Royals won 19 games while losing only 12, and at one point his batting average climbed to .280 . . , he was placed on the disabled list on June 23 after suffering a fracture of the right index finger from a foul tip . . . he was reinstated on July 8 but played only 14 games before he suffered acute tendonitis in his left hand trying to check a swing . . . he was out until Aug. 5 when he aggravated the injury and was again placed on the disabled list . . . after reinstatement, May caught 12 games . . . then on Sept. 6 his right hand was hit by a foul tip . . . x-rays the next day showed fractures of both the 3rd and 4th fingers . . . he was lost for the year . . . a healthy May could give the Royals a huge lift in '72 . . . he had been Pittsburgh's regular catcher from 1967 through July 14, 1969, when he crashed into a dugout in Montreal . . . the ambulance taking him to the hospital was involved in an accident, too, and Jerry suffered injuries to his right arm and shoulder . . . he caught only 8 more games . . . Jerry showed his best power early in that 1969 season . . . his best year offensively was 1967 . . . he was a .300 hitter early that year . . . May's first major league start was something special . . . Bob Veale set the all-time Pirate single game strikeout record that night . . . Jerry was signed to his first pro contract by Syd Thrift, now director of the Royals' Baseball Academy . . . he led New York-Penn League receivers in assists (70) in 1962 and paced the Sally League in assists (65) and putouts (722) the next year . . . he was Asheville's Most Popular Player in 1964 . . . he led International League catchers in defense (.985) in 1965 and had only 1 passed ball in the 82 games he caught . . . he hurled 6 no-hitters in American Legion play . . . his father and a brother have played pro ball.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1961	Kingsport	61	235	37	77	16	2	11	59	25	32	1	.328
1962	Batavia	104	388	70	110	21	1	21	89	44	67	2	.284
1963	Asheville	123	398	45	94	23	2	3	41	46	64	0	.236
1964	Asheville	113	346	32	86	15	0	6	33	50	65	0	.249
1964	Pittsburgh	11	31	1	8	0	0	0	3	3	9	0	.258
1965	Columbus	101	280	27	72	10	0	4	34	44	45	2	.257
1965	Pittsburgh	4	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	.500
1966	Pittsburgh	42	52	6	13	4	0	1	2	2	15	0	.250
1967	Pittsburgh	110	325	23	88	13	2	3	22	36	55	0	.271
1968	Pittsburgh	137	416	26	91	15	2	1	33	41	80	0	.219
1969	Pittsburgh	62	190	21	44	8	0	7	23	9	53	1	.232
1970	Pittsburgh	51	139	13	29	4	2	1	16	21	25	0	.209
1971	KANSAS CITY	71	218	16	55	13	2	1	24	27	37	0	.252
Major League Totals		488	1373	106	329	57	8	14	124	139	274	1	.239

NO-HITTERS

Carl DeRose of the Kansas City Blues of the American Association hurled the only professional no-hitter in Municipal Stadium when he blanked Minneapolis, 5-0, on June 26, 1947. He faced only 27 batters, making it the first perfect game is American Association history.

Kansas City has been involved in only one no-hitter in its modern major league history. Jack Kralick of the Minnesota Twins no-hit the Athletics, 1-0, at Bloomington on August 26, 1962. He missed a perfect game by only two outs. Wtih one out in the ninth, he walked pinch-hitter George Alusik on a 3-2 pitch. He retired the next two batters on foul pop-ups.

L-L MAYBERRY, JOHN CLAIBORN (1B) #7

John, 6-3, 220, was born Feb. 18, 1950, at Detroit, Mich., where he now resides . . . he is single, has attended the University of Michigan.

Mayberry, obtained on Dec. 2, 1971, with third baseman Dave Grangaard in a trade with Houston for Jim York and Lance Clemons, has been one of the most highly regarded prospects in professional baseball since he was selected No. 1 by Houston in the Free Agent Draft in June of 1967 and signed for scouts Earl Gilpin and Pat Gillick for a sizeable bonus . . . although he has not spent a full season in the majors, John has made considerable noise with his bat . . . the Royals believe he may be ready to claim the regular first base job . . . if he does, he could be there for a long time . . . he has excellent power to all fields, has shown he can hit for average, is solid defensively and has what has been described as a perfect temperament for baseball . . . perhaps the greatest praise is frequent reference to him as "a young Willie McCovey" . . . McCovey has been his baseball idol, incidentally . . . John has averaged slightly more than 20 home runs the last 4 years and in his 5-year pro career has hit a homer in just about every 6th game and 21st at bat . . . he has 85 pro homers . . . Mayberry made a rapid climb to the majors in 1968 . . . he started out by leading the Class A Florida State League in hitting until he was promoted to Greensboro . . . then after a brief promotion to Triple A, he finished that season at Houston weighing 220 pounds, about 20 under what he had started the year . . . John has shuttled back and forth between the Astros and Oklahoma City ever since . . . don't think John hasn't enjoyed some major league success, though . . . in September of last year, he clubbed 4 homers in a 9-game span and 2 provided the winning power in consecutive games during an 8-game winning streak . . . 6 of his 7 major league homers last year were hit on the road . . . John's first recall last year was on May 21 but in slightly more than 2 months he appeared in just 25 games . . . in 1970, he started the year with the Astros . . . coming into 1972 his longest streak of playing regularly has been about 2 weeks . . . 1969 was the only season Mayberry stayed with one club for a long stretch . . . he was named to the all-star team after that year in the American Association in which he finished 7th in the batting race, tied for 2nd in homers and led first basemen in average (.990), putouts (1005) and double plays (89) . . . that was the same year he came out of Detroit's Northwestern High School after starring as both a hitter and a pitcher . . . the same school produced baseball's Willie Horton and Alex Johnson and football's Ron Johnson . . . after being traded to Kansas City, John joined Escogido in the Dominican Republic for the remainder of the winter league season . . . he had 21 hits in 64 at bats (.328), hit 3 home runs and had 10 RBI.

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1967 Covington	50	155	23	39	7	0	4	21	31	20	2	.252
1968 Cocoa	64	195	34	66	9	3	14	48	41	21	1	.338
1968 Greensboro	43	158	31	52	14	1	8	29	20	23	2	.329
1968 Oklahoma City	24	78	3	20	0	0	1	5	14	11	0	.256
1968 Houston	4	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	.000
1969 Oklahoma City	123	458	95	139	29	4	21	78	62	42	3	.303
1969 Houston	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	.000
1970 Houston	50	148	23	32	3	2	5	14	21	33	1	.216
1970 Oklahoma City	70	231	55	63	7	3	13	38	49	41	5	.273
1971 Oklahoma City	64	222	50	72	10	3	12	40	43	30	2	.324
1971 Houston	46	137	16	25	0	1	7	14	13	32	0	.182
Major League Totals	105	298	39	57	3	3	12	28	35	68	1	.191

R-R MONTGOMERY, MONTY BRYSON (P) #20

Monty, 6-3, 205, was born Sept. 1, 1946, at Albemarle, N. C., where he still resides . . . he is single and has a Bachelor of Arts Degree in history from Pfeiffer College in Misenheimer, N. C.

Montgomery, the Royals' sixth choice in the June, 1968, Free Agent Draft (it was the Royals' first draft session), had a remarkable major league debut in 1971 . . . it vaulted him into the starting picture for 1972 . . . after spending most of the season in the minors, Montgomery joined the Royals Sept. 13 . . . he made his first appearance the next night against Oakland . . . Monty relieved when Paul Splittorff was forced to leave the game after being hit on the knee by a line drive . . . Montgomery pitched from the 4th inning on and was credited with a 2-0 victory . . . in his 6 innings, he allowed only 4 hits and struck out 4 . . . his next appearance was in a starting role in Minnesota . . . he had a shutout for 8 innings, tired in the 9th and settled for a 5-2 win . . . his final appearance was against the Twins in Kansas City . . . he blanked Minnesota for 7 innings, needed relief in the 8th and was a 5-3 winner . . . in only 2 of his 21.1 innings was he scored on . . . Montgomery started the season with Omaha but after getting off to a rough start was assigned to Elmira . . . he helped the Double A team win the American Division championship and the playoffs in the Eastern League . . . his fastball made him sensational in his last 5 games . . . he pitched 38 innings, allowed 14 hits and 6 earned runs and struck out 39 . . . in one game, he had a no-hitter into the 7th and in another a no-hitter into the 8th . . . he had 2 2-hitters and 1 1-hitter for Elmira . . . Monty overcame elbow problems in 1970 to have a fine season at Omaha and help the Triple A Royals win the American Association . . . he played shortstop and pitched in high school at Albemarle . . . he was all-conference and All-NAIA District 26 at Pfeiffer College in 1967 . . . Syd Thrift signed him for the Royals . . . 2 older brothers were outstanding athletes, too . . . Kent pitched in the San Francisco chain and Don was a first baseman and end at North Carolina State and had a trial with the Buffalo Bills.

Year	Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1968	Hi.Pt.-Thomasville	18	18	4	5	5	116	102	57	43	35	101	3.34
1969	Hi.Pt.-Thomasville	20	20	2	4	6	108	91	40	32	45	82	2.67
1970	Omaha	25	22	6	11	6	140	142	66	55	31	95	3.54
1971	Omaha	14	14	1	2	6	78	105	55	51	22	52	5.88
1971	Elmira	17	14	11	8	5	119	81	27	24	18	128	1.82
1971	KANSAS CITY	3	2	0	3	0	21	16	5	5	3	12	2.14
Major League Totals		3	2	0	3	0	21	16	5	5	3	12	2.14

Major League Batting Record

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1971	KANSAS CITY	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	.000

R-R MURRAY, CHARLES FREDERICK (P) #39

Chuck, 6-1, 185, was born Nov. 29, 1944, at Seattle, Wash. . . . he is single and lives in San Lorenzo, Calif. . . . he has attended Eastern Arizona Junior College in Thatcher and Chabot Junior College in Hayward, Calif. . . . he works in a plastic factory in the off-season.

Murray, signed as a free agent by Kansas City in August, 1970, after he was released by the Minnesota Twins earlier that same year, came on fast last summer and could fit into the Royals' bullpen picture soon . . . he impressed Kansas City officials with an impressive 2 innings against the Royals in an exhibition game in Elmira on June 2 . . . Murray allowed only 1 hit and struck out 4 to become a 3-0 victor . . . he later was advanced to Omaha where he returned to a starting role and struck out 85 in 82 innings . . . he has had other impressive years, too . . . he missed most of 1966 because of Army duty, but the next year led the Florida State League in strikeouts and complete games, tied for the lead in wins and shutouts (7), was 4th in ERA and was named the league's all-star right-hander . . . he was 7th in ERA in the Southern League in 1969 . . . he was a 3-sport star (baseball, basketball and football) at San Lorenzo High School and played baseball and basketball at both junior colleges . . . Chuck originally was signed by Dick Hager (now a Royals scout) for Minnesota . . . Hager also signed him for the Royals . . . his father, Don Murray, is a part-time scout with the Royals.

Year	Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1966	Orlando	8	3	1	1	2	25	21	16	9	15	34	3.24
1967	Orlando	25	24	‡18	°17	5	194	123	48	43	63	‡206	1.99
1968	Wilson	28	25	13	13	11	187	149	83	59	89	157	2.84
1968	Orlando	2	2	0	0	1	17	14	7	7	6	12	3.71
1969	Charlotte	25	23	4	7	9	143	126	74	56	50	89	3.52
1970	San Jose	8	0	0	2	1	12	8	2	2	4	12	1.50
1971	Elmira	11	1	0	2	2	19	12	10	5	12	20	2.37
1971	Omaha	20	8	6	7	4	82	63	27	22	30	85	2.41

‡Led league °Tied for league lead

R-R OLIVER, ROBERT LEE (1B-OF) #33

Bob, 6-2, 215, was born Feb. 8, 1943, at Shreveport, La. . . . he and wife Hazel and sons Tony (2-18-68) and Darren (10-6-70) now live in Kansas City, Mo. . . . Bob has attended American River Junior College in Sacramento, Calif. . . . he worked in construction on the Harry S. Truman Sports Complex during the winter.

Oliver, a 2nd round choice from Minnesota in the expansion draft, will be seeking to regain his 1970 form this year . . . he had a banner season with 27 home runs and 99 RBI, both in the 10 best AL figures . . . he played a lot of third base the first 2 months of '70, then moved to his natural first base position . . . in '71, he started at first—he was in 44 of the first 50 games at that position—but also saw considerable duty in rightfield . . . he could wind up at either of those posts this summer . . . although the consistency of '70 wasn't there, Bob did have several solid streaks . . . he had 8 and 6-game hitting skeins early, and a 7-gamer Aug. 21-29 in which he collected 11 hits in 23 at bats (.478) . . . and his best streak of all came in his last 5 games . . . he hit safely in each, drove in 11 runs (3,3,0,1,4) and batted .389 (7-for-18) . . . in the Sept. 29 finale at Oakland, he hammered 2 home runs . . . Bob and Lou Piniella are the only players who have started all 3 opening games in the Royals' brief history . . . he tied an American League record for first basemen when he participated in 6 double plays on May 14 vs. Oakland . . . he was only the 5th in AL history to do it . . . his 1970 year had many highlights . . . twice he hit 5 homers in a span of 6 games and he had a trio of 2-homer games . . . he had 16 home runs on the road, 1 shy of Bob Cerv's Kansas City record set in 1958 . . . he shared the Royals' Player-of-the-Month award with Amos Otis in April and won it himself in July when he set club records with 7 homers and 22 RBI . . . his best day ever was on May 4, 1969, at California when he collected 6 consecutive hits (4 singles, double, home run) . . . he was the 37th player in major league history to achieve the feat . . . no one had done it in almost 4 years and he was only the 20th AL player since 1900 to do it in a 9-inning game . . . only 7 times had an AL hitter had more total bases on a 6-hit performance than Bob's 10, and 4 of those were in extra inning games . . . none had more total bases on 6 hits in 9 innings

since Ty Cobb collected 16 on May 5, 1925 . . . Oliver had a single his last time at bat the day before so his string was 7 consecutive hits . . . he was 11-for-16 (.688) in the series . . . in 8 games, he was 16-for-31 and had an amazing .903 slugging percentage on 28 total bases . . . his minor league career was outstanding . . . he played all infield and outfield positions and averaged 15 homers and just over 80 RBI a year . . . he played in the Western Carolinas League All-Star Game his rookie year and was named to the Topps Triple A-West all-star outfield in 1968 . . . he is a member of the American River Hall of Fame for his play in baseball and basketball . . . Pittsburgh's Bob Fontaine signed Bob to his first pro contract in 1963.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1963	Gastonia	124	‡501	82	141	15	6	13	84	31	93	9	.281
1964	Kinston	137	458	66	119	17	2	7	73	39	98	7	.260
1965	Asheville	128	450	66	117	17	1	15	71	27	*127	5	.260
1965	Pittsburgh	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
1966	Columbus	32	79	9	14	2	0	0	3	5	20	0	.177
1966	Asheville	85	309	59	97	8	6	18	78	16	74	5	.314
1967	Macon	139	506	60	144	16	5	17	80	36	101	10	.285
1968	Denver	137	515	71	153	31	8	20	93	24	94	17	.297
1969	KANSAS CITY	118	394	43	100	8	4	13	43	21	74	5	.254
1969	Omaha	9	27	3	3	0	0	0	1	4	8	0	.111
1970	KANSAS CITY	160	612	83	159	24	6	27	99	42	126	3	.260
1971	KANSAS CITY	128	373	35	91	12	2	8	52	14	88	0	.244
Major League Totals		409	1381	162	350	44	12	48	194	77	288	8	.253

R-R ORTENZIO, FRANK JOSEPH, JR. (1B) #48

Frank, 6-2, 215, was born Feb. 24, 1951, at Fresno, Calif., where he still resides . . . he is single . . . a nickname is Moose.

Ortenzio, selected in the June, 1969, Free Agent Draft, showed continued hitting ability and power and good improvement defensively in 1971 to earn a spot on the major league roster although he may need more experience . . . he was a hot topic in the Class A California League last year . . . he led the league in home runs and total bases (271) was third in RBI and tied for 9th in hitting . . . during one stretch in mid-season Ortenzio clubbed 9 home runs and drove in 26 runs in 10 games . . . 18 of the RBI and 6 of the homers came in the first 5 games in that stretch . . . Frank's season home run and RBI totals were the best ever in the Royals' organization . . . he was named to the league all-star team and was named the most dangerous hitter in the league in a vote of managers . . . he also received consideration as the best defensive first baseman . . . he was the Topps Chewing Gum Co. California League Player of the Month in June and was presented the Minor League Player of the Year Award at the Banquet of Champions in San Jose in Feb. . . . in 1970, he was 5th in batting, tied for 2nd in home runs and was selected to the Pioneer League's all-star team . . . on July 3, 1970, he hit 3 home runs in a game against Magic Valley . . . for Corning in 1969, he had a grand slam homer and 7 RBI in 1 game . . . Western Scouting Director Rosey Gilhousen signed him to his pro contract.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1969	Corning	38	117	11	30	1	0	4	25	13	28	0	.256
1970	Billings	58	190	45	60	11	2	10	26	30	50	9	.316
1971	San Jose	132	472	99	143	22	5	‡32	103	56	108	2	.303

‡Led league

R-R OTIS, AMOS JOSEPH (OF) #26

Amos, 5-11, 166, was born April 26, 1947, at Mobile, Ala. . . . he and wife Belva, son Barry (8-31-67) and daughter Dawn (4-2-70) lived in Portsmouth, Va., during the off-season.

Otis, obtained with Bob Johnson in a Dec. 3, 1969, trade with the New York Mets for Joe Foy, continued his climb to super stardom in 1971 . . . offensively, he jumped his average 17 points over his first full season to .301, 6th best in the American League . . . he led the league in stolen bases and led the Royals in homers, RBI, game-winning hits (14), total bases (246) and average . . . defensively, he tied with Willie Davis of the Dodgers for the major league lead in putouts (404), paced the AL in total chances (418) and tied Baltimore's Merv Rettenmund for the double play lead (4) . . . he paced the majors in putouts and total chances, led the AL in DPs and shared the assist lead in 1970 . . . he had a 165-game errorless streak from July 18, 1970 to July 29, 1971 . . . his over-all defense in '71 earned him a Gold Glove Award along with Carl Yastrzemski and Paul Blair . . . no one in the league could match his leadership in all phases of the game . . . Otis started 1971 with a 7-game hitting streak . . . he later had a 12-game streak and an 11-gamer . . . he also hit in 17 of 18 contests . . . one of the best games came against Baltimore . . . he had 4 hits, including a double and 3-run homer, all against Dave McNally, and drove in all the runs in a 4-1 Royals victory . . . only 3 times did he go more than 1 game without a hit, twice going 2 games and once 3 games . . . his stolen base accomplishments may have been even more impressive . . . he had 33 stolen bases in 1970 without being thrown out at 2nd or 3rd (his only caught stealing marks were from a pickoff and an attempted theft of home on a double steal) . . . he stretched that string

to 45 before finally being thrown out stealing 3rd base in the 7th inning of a game in Chicago on May 25 . . . Ed Herrmann was the catcher . . . he is the only catcher in the majors who has thrown Otis out twice . . . he did it again on July 5 in Kansas City . . . Otis has actually been thrown out only 5 times in 2 years with KC . . . Otis' big stolen base day came on Sept. 7 against Milwaukee . . . he stole 5 bases in that game, the first time that had been accomplished in the majors in 44 years . . . the American League record is 6 . . . Otis teamed with Fred Patek (49) to give the Royals the best 1-2 duo in the American League since 1917 when Ray Chapman (52) and Braggo Roth (51) stole 103 for the Cleveland Indians . . . for teammates finishing 1-2 in the league, Otis and Patek were the best since 1913 when Washington's Clyde Milan stole 75 times and Danny Moeller 62 . . . Otis and Patek also shared another feat . . . they were named co-winners of the Royals Player-of-the-Year award . . . in 1970, Otis tied for the league lead in doubles with Tony Oliva and Cesar Tovar, ranked 3rd in triples and was 5th in stolen bases . . . he had a 5-hit game against Cleveland on May 1, 1970 . . . he shared the Royals Player-of-the-Month award with Bob Oliver in April then won it outright in June . . . in 1971, he won in May . . . Otis started as a shortstop and the New York Mets played him at third base some in '69 . . . he had 3 solid seasons in the International League . . . in '67, he was 2nd in stolen bases and played in the All-Star Game . . . he was the all-league centerfielder in '68, played in the All-Star Game and was named to the National Association Triple A-East all-star club . . . after 2 months with the Mets in '69, he returned and posted the league's 2nd best average although he didn't have sufficient at bats to qualify for the title . . . his 3-year log in the league included 69 stolen bases in 87 attempts . . . Edward Scott signed Otis for Boston and that first year he was 5th in the Appalachian League in batting and led 3rd basemen in fielding (.910) chances accepted (122), assists (76) and double plays (13) . . . he was the New York-Penn League all-star first baseman the next season before the Mets drafted him . . . Amos attended Williamson High School in Mobile.

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1965 Harlan	67	252	55	83	11	5	9	39	43	37	10	.329
1966 Oneonta	116	419	54	113	17	7	3	46	39	58	14	.270
1967 Jacksonville	126	407	62	109	11	7	3	39	36	72	29	.268
1967 New York (NL)	19	59	6	13	2	0	0	1	5	13	0	.220
1968 Jacksonville	139	500	76	143	29	4	15	70	50	71	21	.286
1969 New York (NL)	48	93	6	14	3	1	0	4	6	27	1	.151
1969 Tidewater	71	248	55	81	14	2	10	43	31	34	19	.327
1970 KANSAS CITY	159	620	91	176	°36	9	11	58	68	66	33	.284
1971 KANSAS CITY	147	555	80	167	26	4	15	79	40	74	‡52	.301
Major League Totals	373	1327	183	370	67	14	26	142	119	180	86	.279

‡Led league °Tied for league lead.

All-Star Game Record

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1970 American	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
1971 American	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
All-Star Totals	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000

R-R PAEPKE, DENNIS RAY (C) #17

Dennis, 6-0, 200, was born April 17, 1945, at Long Beach, Calif . . . he and wife Maliz live in Kansas City, Mo. . . . he has attended Fullerton (Calif.) Junior College and Orange Coast College at Costa Mesa, Calif. . . . he worked in construction on the Harry S. Truman Sports Complex last winter.

Paepke, obtained with Ed Kirkpatrick in a Dec. 12, 1968, trade with California for Hoyt Wilhelm, will bid to fill the same utility role in 1972 that he played in 1971 . . . he caught, played the outfield and pinch hit . . . it was his 2nd stint with the Royals . . . he was with Kansas City in 1969 from June 1 through July 2 and for a brief time again in September . . . he also helped Omaha win back-to-back American Association championships . . . Dennis ranked 4th in the American Association batting race at the time of his recall in 1969 . . . in his 1st pro season, he led Pioneer League catchers in fielding (.975) and tied for the lead in assists (17) . . . he helped El Paso to a division title in the Texas League in 1968 . . . California scouts Tufie Hashem and Mike Mulleady signed him to his pro contract after graduating from Rancho Alamitos High School in Garden Grove, Calif., in 1964 . . . his father, Jack, is a former minor league player and manager and has coached and scouted for the California Angels . . . he is currently with the Angels' Speakers Bureau.

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1964 Idaho Falls	46	166	34	42	9	0	10	32	15	46	1	.253
1965 San Jose	14	44	6	8	1	0	2	9	5	10	0	.182
1965 Quad Cities	80	220	32	43	5	1	6	33	21	69	2	.195
1966 San Jose	119	435	54	128	25	4	13	81	42	68	3	.294
1967 El Paso	18	31	6	12	3	0	1	5	1	7	1	.387
1967 Seattle	16	26	1	5	1	1	0	4	3	3	0	.192
1967 San Jose	21	74	9	16	3	0	0	7	6	9	0	.216
1968 El Paso	87	277	38	80	13	0	10	39	30	26	7	.289
1969 Omaha	98	380	53	112	25	0	9	57	30	50	1	.295
1969 KANSAS CITY	12	27	2	3	1	0	0	0	2	3	0	.111
1970 Omaha	93	305	36	80	16	2	6	44	29	46	3	.262
1971 KANSAS CITY	60	152	11	31	6	0	2	14	8	29	0	.204
Major League Totals	72	179	13	34	7	0	2	14	10	32	0	.190

R-R PATEK, FREDDIE JOE (SS) #37

Fred, 5-4, 140, was born Oct. 9, 1944, in Oklahoma City . . . he spent most of his early years in Seguin, Tex., now lives in Blue Springs, Mo., with wife Jerri and daughter Heather (7-10-71) . . . he worked for a sporting goods firm during the off-season . . . a nickname is "Midg", tagged on Fred because of his size.

Patek, acquired with Jerry May and Bruce Dal Canton in a Dec. 2, 1970, trade with the Pittsburgh Pirates for Bob Johnson, Jack Hernandez and Jimmy Campanis, is the smallest player in the majors but he was a major factor in the Royals' success in 1971 . . . he led the league in triples and was second to teammate Amos Otis in stolen bases as they posted the AL's best 2-man total of 101 since 1917 . . . he led major league shortstops in putouts (301) and double plays (107) and led the AL in total chances (785) . . . he teamed with second baseman Cookie Rojas to give the Royals an exciting double play combination . . . KC actually led the majors with 178 twin killings . . . Fred is an intense competitor who appears always to be on the move . . . along with tremendous speed, he has a rifle arm . . . his total value was demonstrated when he finished 6th in balloting to determine the league's Most Valuable Player . . . he had 1 second place vote and 77 total points in the voting . . . Fred finished 2nd to Maury Wills of the Dodgers on The Associated Press all-major league team . . . Wills got 66 votes, Patek 53 . . . he was 2nd to Leo Cardenas on The Sporting News all-league team . . . Cardenas had 84 votes, Patek 63 . . . and he was runnerup to Mark Belanger on the all-defensive team . . . Fred led AL shortstops in hitting . . . at times he led all in either league . . . he has occasional power . . . Fred had an 11-game hitting streak (15-for-50, .300) April 19-May 2, a 10-gamer (22-for-45, .489) Aug. 20-29 in which he had 2 or more hits in all but 1 of the games and an 8-game streak (14-for-31, .452) from Aug. 7-13 . . . he became only the 57th player in the AL to hit for the cycle when he did it against Jim Perry at Minnesota on July 9 . . . he also hit his first major league inside-the-park home run against Detroit on July 18 . . . he hit 2 in the minor leagues . . . of his 49 stolen bases, 21 came in a 20-game span June 8-July 3 . . . he stole 3 bases vs. Washington June 9 . . . Patek is a fan favorite . . . he has been since first joining the majors on June 3, 1968, with Pittsburgh . . . in his first 15 days, he helped the Pirates to a 9-game winning streak and was hitting .281 when a Don Drysdale pitch hit him on the left wrist . . . x-rays didn't reveal a fracture so he played 9 more games . . . he average dropped and subsequent x-rays showed a hairline fracture which disabled him for 3 weeks . . . he hit a home run in Houston the day he returned, but the wrist wasn't right and it took off-season surgery for the removal of a small bone to correct it . . . he bounced back to become the Pirates' regular shortstop in 1969 . . . he led the International League in stolen bases in 1967 and was 2nd in the Western Carolinas League in 1966 although he played in only 75 games out of a possible 126 . . . he was leading the International League again in 1968 when called up . . . he was a free agent draft choice by the Pirates in 1966 and was signed by Larry DeHaven . . . he had been an all-state selection while at Seguin High School.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1966	Gastonia	75	294	68	91	8	5	2	20	45	46	38	.310
1966	Columbus	17	36	3	5	1	0	0	1	3	11	2	.139
1966	Asheville	26	64	11	13	0	0	1	5	10	12	1	.203
1967	Columbus	128	484	77	120	14	5	6	27	44	75	‡42	.248
1968	Columbus	33	138	21	42	7	1	0	10	11	21	18	.304
1968	Pittsburgh	61	208	31	53	4	2	2	18	12	37	18	.255
1969	Pittsburgh	147	460	48	110	9	1	5	32	53	86	15	.239
1970	Pittsburgh	84	237	42	58	10	5	1	19	29	46	8	.245
1971	KANSAS CITY	147	591	86	158	21	‡11	6	36	44	80	49	.267
Major League Totals		439	1496	207	379	44	19	14	105	138	249	90	.253

‡Led league

OTIS, PATEK BEST SINCE 1917

Amos Otis led the American League in stolen bases (52) in 1971 and Fred Patek was second (49). Their 101 total was the best two-man figure in the league since 1917 when Ray Chapman (52) and Braggo Roth (51) stole 103 for Cleveland.

It also was the best in the major leagues since that time for teammates who had at least 40 stolen bases apiece. (Maury Wills had 104 and Los Angeles teammate Willie Davis 32 in the National League in 1962. In 1965, Wills stole 94 and Davis 25. Those totals are the only ones exceeding the Otis-Patek figure since 1917.)

Among teammates to finish 1-2 in the American League, Otis and Patek trailed only Clyde Milan (75) and Danny Moeller (62) who stole 137 for Washington in 1913.

The two-man American League combinations ahead of Otis and Patek:

Year	Players, club	Steals
1917	Ray Chapman (52), Braggo Roth (61), Cleveland	103
1915	Ty Cobb (96), Donie Bush (35), Detroit	131
1914	Fritz Muisel (74), Roger Peckinpaugh (38), New York	112
1913	Clyde Milan (75), Danny Moeller (62), Washington	137
1912	Clyde Milan (88), Danny Moeller (30), Washington	118
1911	Ty Cobb (83), Donie Bush (40), Detroit	123
1910	Ty Cobb (65), Donie Bush (49), Detroit	114
1909	Ty Cobb (76), Donie Bush (53), Detroit	129

R-R PINIELLA, LOUIS VICTOR (OF) #9

Lou, 6-2, 197, was born Aug. 28, 1943, at Tampa, Fla. . . . he and wife Anita, son Lou, Jr. (1-11-69) and daughter Kristi (12-25-71) reside in Overland Park, Kan. . . . Lou has attended the University of Tampa . . . he has been an investment banker in the off-season, but worked for the Royals this year in the short time available after a winter ball stint.

Piniella, acquired from Seattle on April 1, 1969, for John Gelnar and Steve Whitaker, had a split season in 1971 . . . he had only a .246 batting average in the first half because of a slower than usual start and an injury . . . in the 2nd half, the leftfielder was the Lou Piniella of old . . . he hit .304 with 34 of his 51 RBI . . . it preserved his reputation as one of the league's most capable hitters . . . the thumb on his right hand was broken when hit by a Steve Hargan pitch in Cleveland on May 4 . . . he was placed on the disabled list and wasn't reactivated until June 8 . . . he didn't start again until June 14 . . . his thumb still bothered him through much of the season . . . beginning on July 11, however, he returned to form . . . he began an 18-game hitting streak, a Royals record . . . he had 24 hits, including 2 homers and 14 RBI, in 71 at bats (.338) and raised his average 25 points to .270 . . . he stayed near that mark until the latter portion of the season when he ended with an 8-game streak . . . he had 15 hits his last 27 at bats (.556) . . . that hot streak continued after the season in Venezuela . . . in 27 games for LaGuaira where Royals hitting coach Charley Lau was the manager, he hit .330 (34-for-103) with 7 doubles, 1 triple, 1 homer and 11 RBI . . . Piniella's career with the Royals has been outstanding . . . he has started in all 3 openers . . . so has Bob Oliver . . . Lou capped his first year by winning the Baseball Writers Association of America Rookie-of-the-Year award . . . he received 9 votes to 6 for Boston's Mike Nagy . . . Kansas City has never had a BBWAA rookie-of-the-year although shortstop Dick Howser (1961) and pitcher Jim Nash (1966) had won 1 of 2 polls in The Sporting News . . . he won a spot on the Topps Major League Rookie All-Star team and was runnerup to Carlos May in The Sporting News' rookie poll . . . Lou started that year with 4 hits in the Royals' very first game . . . he drove in the winning run in Game 2 . . . Piniella overcame the sophomore jinx in 1970 to have an even better year . . . he hit .301, 8th best in the league . . . no Kansas City hitter had hit the .300 mark since 1962 . . . Lou's RBI (88) and home run (11) totals would have been even better had he not suffered a foot injury . . . it occurred on May 8 in Detroit and broke a 14-game hitting streak . . . he was hitting .351 at the time but that average dropped to .294 by June 24 before he got back in the groove . . . he was limited to 5 pinch-hitting appearances and 1 start in the 24 days following that injury . . . he played 85 consecutive games after getting back in . . . September was his banner RBI month with 21 in his last 23 games . . . he was named the Royals' Player-of-the-Month . . . in 3 years with Kansas City, he has had just 1 starting stretch of 3 games without a hit and another of 4 . . . in his minor league career, Piniella was Rookie-of-the-Year in the Carolina League in 1963 . . . he led outfielders in assists (23) and made the all-star team that same year . . . he made the all-league team in the Pacific Coast League in 1968 . . . Spud Chandler signed Piniella . . . Lou won All-America basketball honors at Tampa's Jesuit High School . . . he was named to the NCAA College Division All-America team in baseball at the University of Tampa.

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1962 Selma	70	278	40	75	10	5	8	44	10	57	4	.270
1963 Peninsula	143	548	71	170	29	4	16	77	34	70	8	.310
1964 Aberdeen	20	74	8	20	8	3	0	12	6	9	1	.270
1964 Baltimore	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
1965 Elmira	126	490	64	122	29	6	11	64	22	57	5	.249
1966 Portland	133	457	47	132	22	3	7	52	20	52	6	.289
1967 Portland	113	396	46	122	20	1	8	56	23	47	2	.308
1968 Cleveland	6	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	.000
1968 Portland	88	331	49	105	15	3	13	62	19	31	1	.317
1969 KANSAS CITY	135	493	43	139	21	6	11	68	33	56	2	.282
1970 KANSAS CITY	144	542	54	163	24	5	11	88	35	42	3	.301
1971 KANSAS CITY	126	448	43	125	21	5	3	51	21	43	5	.279
Major League Totals	415	1489	141	427	66	16	25	208	89	141	10	.287

R-R ROJAS, OCTAVIO RIVAS (2B) #1

Cookie, 5-10, 170, was born March 6, 1939, at Havana, Cuba . . . he and wife Candida and sons Octavio (5-23-61), Miguel (4-18-63), Victor (2-3-68) and Bobby (11-11-69) now call Miami, Fla., home . . . Cookie helped coach the Royals' team in the Florida Instructional League and the Baseball Academy last fall.

Rojas, obtained in a June 13, 1970, trade with the St. Louis Cardinals for Fred Rico, enjoyed his best major league season in 1971 . . . he led major league second basemen in fielding (.991), played 52 consecutive errorless games (165 assists, 119 putouts), hit .300, and had a career high in RBI . . . just as important he was an inspirational leader for the younger players . . . this all came at a time when many people thought his career might be near an end . . . his fine year earned many honors . . . he became only the 9th player in major league history to play in the All-Star Game for both leagues . . . he received more write-in votes than any other player in either league, then played the last 4 innings . . . he had a .315 average at the time . . . in a player vote for The Sporting News, Cookie was named as the starting second baseman . . . in other Sporting News polls at season's end, he was voted the top second baseman by more than a 2 to 1 margin in the American

League, was 2nd to Norm Cash of Detroit for the AL Comeback Award and 2nd to Baltimore's Dave Johnson on the AL fielding team picked by managers and coaches . . . Cookie was 2nd to Glenn Beckert on The Associated Press major league all-star team . . . he was named Royals Player-of-the-Month in April and July and received the Earl Smith Award for inspirational leadership at Kansas City's first annual Baseball Awards Dinner . . . Rojas drove in 7 runs in the Royals' first 5 games and later had an 11-game hitting streak (15-for-44, .341) from April 27-May 10 . . . he had just one hitless streak of 3 games as a starter . . . his best game may have been vs. Baltimore on July 20 . . . he had 2 singles and 2 doubles . . . he got his 1000th major league hit on June 17, a 7th inning single against California's Mel Queen . . . he also had another personal "first" on July 18 (first game) against Detroit . . . he batted cleanup . . . Cookie's season ended abruptly on Aug. 21 . . . he had missed just 9 games at that time and was the league's No. 6 hitter when he suffered a hairline fracture of the fibula just above the right ankle while falling away from a Mike Thompson pitch in the 4th inning against Washington . . . he was placed on the disabled list the next day . . . he worked himself back into shape in the Royals' Florida Instructional League camp and reported he was back to 100 per cent strength . . . he then played winter baseball for Zulia in Venezuela . . . Rojas had several good years at Philadelphia, capped by his selection in 1969 as the Phillies' greatest second baseman ever . . . he holds the Philadelphia record for fielding (.987) . . . that 1968 figure led National League second basemen . . . he also led in putouts (365) and double plays (110) . . . he has played all 9 positions, with his pitching confined to a scoreless inning in 1967 . . . Felix Millan shaded him out of another fielding title in 1969 . . . each was at .980 . . . Rojas led the Northern League in fielding (.966) in 1957 and led the International League in fielding (.968), putouts (350) and assists (382) in 1961 . . . Cookie first signed a pro contract for Havana's Armando Llano . . . he went to St. Louis on Oct. 8, 1969, in the 7-player deal that included Richie Allen and Curt Flood.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1956	West Palm Beach	129	476	75	131	19	6	1	43	49	36	28	.275
1957	Wausau	116	443	46	116	25	8	4	49	41	34	6	.262
1958	Savannah	134	527	74	134	24	2	10	44	47	37	10	.254
1959	Havana	99	318	30	74	12	1	3	13	17	44	6	.233
1960	Havana-Jersey City	110	276	19	63	8	1	1	24	18	20	1	.225
1961	Jersey City	150	567	62	150	25	6	1	44	28	36	11	.265
1962	Cincinnati	39	86	9	19	2	0	0	6	9	4	1	.221
1962	Dallas-Fort Worth	47	170	13	41	4	0	0	11	13	13	0	.241
1963	Philadelphia	64	77	18	17	0	0	1	2	3	8	4	.221
1964	Philadelphia	109	340	58	99	19	5	2	31	22	17	1	.291
1965	Philadelphia	142	521	78	158	25	3	3	42	42	33	5	.303
1966	Philadelphia	156	626	77	168	18	1	6	55	35	46	4	.268
1967	Philadelphia	147	528	60	137	21	2	4	45	30	58	8	.259
1968	Philadelphia	152	621	53	144	19	0	9	48	16	55	4	.232
1969	Philadelphia	110	391	35	89	11	1	4	30	23	28	1	.228
1970	St. Louis	23	47	2	5	0	0	0	2	3	4	0	.106
1970	KANSAS CITY	98	384	36	100	13	3	2	28	20	29	3	.260
1971	KANSAS CITY	115	414	56	124	22	2	6	59	39	35	8	.300
Major League Totals		1155	4035	482	1060	150	18	37	348	244	317	39	.263

All-Star Game Record

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1965	National	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
1971	American	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
All-Star Totals		2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000

R-L ROOKER, JAMES PHILLIP (P) #25

Jim, 5-11, 195, was born Sept. 23, 1942, at Lakeview, Ore. . . . he now lives in Overland Park, Kan., with wife Betty, son David (2-10-61) and daughter Stephanie (7-7-63) . . . nicknames include Supe and Rook.

Rooker, selected in the 3rd round of the expansion draft from New York, hopes to regain his 1970 form when he led the Royals in victories . . . he was in the starting rotation when 1971 started but lost his first 4 games, and was used mainly in relief after that . . . his first win was on July 5 when he hurled a 3-hit, 1-0 shutout over the Chicago White Sox . . . his other victory was in relief at Cleveland on July 23 . . . he has an excellent fastball when right . . . in 1970 his 10 victories included 3 shutouts, but his best game undoubtedly was one he lost . . . he had a no-hitter and a 1-0 lead in New York on June 4 before going into the 9th . . . he had walked 4, 1 batter had reached on an error and he had 7 strikeouts . . . Horace Clarke spoiled the no-hitter with a clean single to left and Bobby Murcer tied the game by doubling to right-center . . . Rooker left the game with the bases loaded and 1 out in the 12th and the Yankees won on a sacrifice fly . . . he retired the first 16 batters against California on Sept. 8, 1970, and finished with a 3-hitter in a 12-0 romp . . . Jim is one of baseball's best hitting pitchers . . . he has 5 major league home runs, including 2 in 1 game against Jim Kaat on July 7, 1969 . . . he had 2 doubles, including a game-winner in the 11th inning, and 5 RBI, against Chicago on May 17, 1970 . . . he was the winner and struck out 9 batters, his career high . . . he has struck out 8 on 3 occasions . . . his first major league victory came on July 12, 1969, when he blanked Chicago on 3 singles, 7-0 . . . he had started that season in the Carolina League because of a sore shoulder . . . Jim started his pro career as an outfielder . . . he had 62 minor league homers, including 19 in the Northern League in 1963 . . . he hit 10 or

more 4 seasons and he had 88, 80 and 78 RBI in 1961-63 . . . he shared the triples lead (13) in the New York-Penn League in 1961 and led the Northern League (11) in 1963 . . . he led NYP outfielders in fielding (.958) and paced 3 leagues in assists and 2 in putouts . . . he signed with Detroit for scout Jack Fournier . . . Jim was named to the Topps Triple A-East all-star team in 1968 before the Tigers sold his contract to the Yankees . . . Jim pitched for Royals coach Charley Lau at LaGuaira, Venezuela, during the winter.

Year	Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1960	Decatur						Did Not Pitch						
1961	Jamestown						Did Not Pitch						
1962	Jamestown	3	0	0	0	0	10	11	10	9	8	3	8.10
1963	Duluth-Superior						Did Not Pitch						
1964	Knoxville						Did Not Pitch						
1964	Duluth-Superior	11	8	2	3	4	63	49	46	37	60	51	5.29
1965	Montgomery	13	6	1	1	4	47	34	30	22	28	45	4.21
1965	Rocky Mount	15	9	4	1	7	68	58	39	31	42	50	4.10
1966	Montgomery	5	0	0	0	0	7	12	11	8	6	8	10.29
1966	Rocky Mount	23	20	15	12	5	145	98	44	33	75	99	2.05
1967	Montgomery	8	8	3	5	2	56	50	22	18	22	45	2.89
1967	Toledo	19	14	5	5	5	100	98	48	42	51	92	3.78
1968	Detroit	2	0	0	0	0	5	4	2	2	1	4	3.60
1968	Toledo	25	25	14	14	8	190	144	67	55	72	206	2.61
1969	High Pt.-Thomasville	2	2	2	2	0	18	11	4	0	3	27	0.00
1969	Omaha	2	2	2	2	0	18	12	3	3	3	16	1.50
1969	KANSAS CITY	28	22	8	4	16	158	136	80	66	73	108	3.76
1970	KANSAS CITY	38	29	6	10	15	204	190	99	80	102	117	3.53
1971	KANSAS CITY	20	7	1	2	7	54	59	35	32	24	31	5.33
1971	Omaha	6	6	2	2	3	46	52	22	14	13	38	2.74
Major League Totals		88	58	15	16	38	421	389	216	180	200	260	3.85

Major League Batting Record

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1971	KANSAS CITY	21	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	.000
Major League Totals		99	139	19	30	7	0	5	21	5	59	0	.216

R-R SANSERINO, GARY PETER (3B-OF) #42

Gary, 6-0, 180, was born Feb. 18, 1948, at Los Angeles, Calif. . . . he resides in Van Nuys, Calif. . . . he is single, has a Bachelor of Science Degree in sociology and physical education from UCLA . . . he worked as a counselor, teacher and coach at a Boys Club in Los Angeles during the winter . . . a nickname is "Shoes".

Sanserino, a late selection in the June, 1969, Free Agent Draft, made good strides in 1971 while helping Elmira win the Eastern League championship . . . he tied for 3rd in hitting in the pitching-rich circuit . . . he increased his effectiveness in all important offensive categories except home runs . . . in the final game of the Eastern League playoffs against Three Rivers, Sanserino drove in both runs of a 2-1 victory, the clincher in the 10th inning . . . he has been used mainly at 3rd base but has also played the outfield . . . he was the Topps Chewing Gum Co. Player of the Month in the league in August . . . after the 1971 season, Sanserino played in the Florida Instructional League . . . he hit .273 after leading both divisions in hitting for the first month . . . he was selected for the Southern Division all-star team . . . while at UCLA, Gary hit .362 in 1968 and .302 in 1969 . . . he and former Royal Jim York helped lead UCLA to a berth in the College World Series in '69 . . . Sanserino holds school records for most hits (75) in 1968 and most stolen bases (19) in 1969 . . . he played on the United States team at the Olympic Games in Mexico City in 1968 . . . he also played semi-pro ball for the Alaska Goldpanners of Fairbanks in 1967 and the Eureka Humboldt Crabs of California in 1968 . . . in both cases, he helped lead the teams to berths in the National Baseball Congress Tournament at Wichita . . . he was a NBC All-America selection in 1969 . . . he signed his first pro contract with Rosey Gilhousen, Royals Western Scouting Director.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1969	Hi.Pt.-Thomasville	75	253	21	70	17	0	1	24	11	38	4	.277
1970	Elmira	132	456	45	112	21	1	7	56	41	45	3	.246
1971	Elmira	125	438	51	122	13	5	3	59	36	47	6	.279

R-R SCHAAL, PAUL (3B) #10

Paul, 5-11, 185, was born March 3, 1943, at Pittsburgh, Pa. . . . he and wife Billie now call Mesa, Ariz., home . . . he has worked as a real estate salesman during the off-season.

Schaal, selected in the 3rd round of the expansion draft from California, was an iron-man for the Royals in 1971 . . . he was 1 of only 2 players in the American League to play in all of his team's games . . . Sandy Alomar of California was the other . . . Paul clearly enjoyed his best season as he played fulltime all year for the first time since his career nearly ended

in 1968 because of a beaning . . . the smooth-fielding third baseman got only 2 hits in the Royals' first 5 games but then stroked 31 in his next 84 at bats, a .369 clip, to raise his average to .333 on May 11 . . . for the year, he had a pair of 9-game hitting streaks . . . the best came June 16-23 when he hit .480 (12-for-25) . . . Paul had an outstanding record in getting on base . . . from May 25 through July 21, Schaal reached base, by virtue of a hit or walk, in 48 of 52 games, including the first 25 of that span . . . he had 52 hits in 185 at bats (.281) and walked 44 times . . . he was on base 96 times in the 48 games . . . earlier he had drawn walks in 14 of 16 games with a total of 21 . . . Schaal walked 103 times during the season, 3rd in the league to Harmon Killebrew's 114 and Carl Yastrzemski's 106 . . . only Bobby Murcer reached base more often than Schaal . . . Murcer had 175 hits and 91 walks for a 266 total . . . Schaal had 150 hits and was hit by a pitch twice for a 255 total . . . he got on base via a walk or hit in 130 of the 161 games he played . . . Paul's best game came on Aug. 15 in Boston . . . he had 3 hits in 4 at bats, including a triple and 3-run homer, and drove in all the runs in a 5-1 KC win . . . he ended the season with 6 hits in his last 12 at bats, including 2 homers and 5 RBI . . . he was named Player-of-the-Month in September when he hit .323 (32-for-99) with 4 home runs and 15 RBI . . . his 31 doubles were 2nd in the league to Reggie Smith's 33 . . . his hits, doubles, home runs, game-winning hits (11) and average were all career highs for him . . . Schaal also had a very unusual game in 1971 . . . on April 17 at Milwaukee, a 5-game hitting streak was broken without him being charged with an official at bat . . . he walked 4 consecutive times . . . only 2 strikes were thrown to him all game, both on 3-0 counts . . . in addition, the only time he handled the ball on defense was on a relay from the outfield . . . he didn't have any putouts or assists . . . his work in 1971 was a continuation of the last 2 months of 1970 . . . in that time, he had 7 game-winning hits, 5 in a span of 14 appearances . . . he was the Royals' Player-of-the-Month in August . . . there had been considerable doubt that Paul would ever play again after being struck above and behind the left ear by a pitch from Boston's Jose Santiago in Fenway Park on June 13, 1968 . . . he played in just 2 more games that season . . . he was the only Angel to have played in every game until the injury . . . he hit the first inside-the-park home run in Anaheim Stadium on Aug. 2, 1966, to beat New York, 6-5, in 11 innings . . . that was a year after he had been named the third baseman on the Topps Major League Rookie all-star team . . . he had won rookie honors once before . . . that was at Quad Cities in 1962 when he was named the team's Most Valuable Player . . . he led third basemen in fielding (.925), putouts (107), assists (241) and double plays (26) . . . he made the California League all-star club in 1963 when he led third basemen with his .941 average . . . J. H. (Pete) Peterson signed Paul for the Angels.

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1962 Quad Cities	125	453	‡109	126	‡34	1	9	73	86	90	5	.278
1963 San Jose	109	381	62	125	23	1	3	57	60	40	2	.328
1964 Hawaii	124	454	67	123	16	4	11	53	55	66	7	.271
1964 Los Angeles (AL)	17	32	3	4	0	0	0	0	2	5	0	.125
1965 California	155	483	48	108	12	2	9	45	61	88	6	.224
1966 California	138	386	59	94	15	7	6	24	68	56	6	.244
1967 California	99	272	31	51	9	1	6	20	38	39	2	.188
1967 El Paso	30	103	21	32	5	1	4	17	17	10	2	.311
1968 California	60	219	22	46	7	1	2	16	29	25	5	.210
1969 Omaha	65	222	56	83	17	5	4	40	37	22	9	.374
1969 KANSAS CITY	61	205	22	54	6	0	1	13	25	27	2	.263
1970 KANSAS CITY	124	380	50	102	12	3	5	35	43	39	7	.268
1971 KANSAS CITY	161	548	80	150	31	6	11	63	103	51	7	.274
Major League Totals	815	2525	315	609	92	20	40	216	367	325	35	.241

‡Led league

S-R SCHEINBLUM, RICHARD ALAN (OF) #5

Richie, 6-0, 180, was born Nov. 5, 1942, at New York City . . . he and wife Mary and son Monte (5-15-67) live in Greenville, R. I. . . . he has a Bachelor of Science Degree in business from C. W. Post College . . . Richie is a credit analyst for a bank during the off-season.

Scheinblum, who was purchased from the Texas Rangers' Denver farm club on Oct. 22, 1971, was Mr. Everything for the American Association champions last year . . . he led the league in average, RBI, triples, and total bases (271) and shared the lead in doubles to be selected the Most Valuable Player . . . he was 2 off the pace in home runs . . . Richie's average was the best in the league by 51 points and best since 1951 when Harry (The Hat) Walker batted .393 for Columbus . . . in addition, Scheinblum had an amazing .725 slugging percentage . . . by comparison, Ted Williams was the last major leaguer to fashion that high a percentage when he ended with .731 in 1957 . . . because of his feats, Richie was honored with a "night" in his honor on Aug. 30 at Mile High Stadium in Denver . . . he also was named "Pro Athlete-of-the-Year" over such stars as Floyd Little of the Denver Broncos and golfer Dave Hill . . . he actually had 29 homers for the year . . . he clubbed a pair of 2-run homers as Denver won the AA playoffs from Indianapolis . . . he then added 2 more homers and batted .391 in the Little World Series, which the Bears lost in 7 games to Rochester . . . Scheinblum will try to claim the Royals' rightfield post in 1972 . . . it would reunite Richie and Lou Piniella . . . they were frequent teammates in the Cleveland organization . . . Scheinblum has nearly 2 years major league experience . . . his best year was 1969 with Cleveland . . . he was used mainly as a pinch-hitter and had the 2nd best hit total in that

role in the league . . . he had a .259 average in pinch-hitting appearances . . . in 1970, he was honored by the Topps Chewing Gum Co. as the American Association Player-of-the-Year . . . Scheinblum has adequate defensive skills . . . slow starts have hampered his progress in the majors to date . . . he hit his only major league home run on the same day man landed on the moon, July 20, 1969 . . . he was signed to his first pro contract by Cleveland's Hoot Evers and George Leppe.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1964	Burlington	85	330	59	102	11	6	1	26	41	47	7	.309
1965	Cleveland	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
1965	Salinas	104	387	63	123	21	5	8	71	45	54	10	.318
1966	Pawtucket	134	494	59	130	‡34	5	5	55	51	61	10	.263
1967	Portland	146	526	77	153	25	2	16	64	38	54	2	.291
1967	Cleveland	18	66	8	21	4	2	0	6	5	10	0	.318
1968	Portland	122	457	73	139	24	7	14	78	50	34	4	.304
1968	Cleveland	19	55	3	12	5	0	0	5	5	8	0	.218
1969	Cleveland	102	199	13	37	5	1	1	13	19	30	0	.186
1970	Wichita	133	460	‡79	°155	32	3	24	‡84	72	54	4	.337
1971	Washington	27	49	5	7	3	0	0	4	8	5	0	.143
1971	Denver	106	374	83	145	°31	‡10	25	‡108	72	26	1	‡.388
Major League Totals		170	370	30	77	17	3	1	28	37	53	0	.208

‡Led league. °Tied for league lead

R-R SEVERSON, RICHARD ALLEN (INF.) #14

Rich, 6-0, 170, was born Jan. 18, 1945, at Artesia, Calif. . . . he and wife Diane now live in Overland Park, Kan. . . . he has attended Fullerton (Calif.) Junior College . . . Rich worked in construction at the Harry S. Truman Sports Complex last winter.

Severson, drafted for Omaha from the Chicago White Sox' system on Dec. 2, 1968, bids to fill an infield utility post for the Royals in 1971 . . . he spent part of last season and all of 1970 in that role . . . he started with the Royals in 1971 but was optioned to Omaha on June 24 . . . he was recalled on Sept. 5 and had a torrid series against Minnesota on Sept. 25-26 . . . he went 6-for-9, in 3 games and had 2 triples in one of them . . . that was in the 2nd game of a doubleheader on Sept. 26 . . . he was a steadying influence on the infield in 1970 . . . it was to his credit that he succeeded as well because he wasn't even invited to spring training until March 15 . . . he played several days in a row early at shortstop, then some at second base which was considered his natural position . . . he went back to shortstop July 26 and played 26 consecutive games through Aug. 22 . . . he batted .275 during that stretch and hit in 13 of 16 games at one point . . . his best day offensively came Aug. 7 in a twin bill against Milwaukee . . . he swatted his only major league home run—a 3-run shot to left off Skip Lockwood—in the 2-0 opener and had 2 singles and 2 doubles in the 10-2 nightcap . . . the 5 hits and 10 total bases tied club doubleheader records . . . he also had a hand in 4 double plays . . . Rich also plays third base . . . he led American Association shortstops in fielding (.958) in 1969 as he helped Omaha to an American Association title . . . 4 years earlier, he had led the Florida State League in hits and sacrifice flies (8), ranked 3rd in hitting and 6th in runs . . . E. S. (Doc) Bennett signed him for the White Sox.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1963	Clinton	80	273	38	74	14	1	2	38	38	31	3	.271
1964	Clinton	80	282	38	66	10	4	2	45	39	27	2	.234
1965	Sarasota	138	495	67	‡142	11	3	0	61	62	31	10	.287
1966-67	Indianapolis						Military						
1968	Lynchburg	19	59	8	15	2	0	0	9	9	5	1	.254
1968	Appleton	97	370	55	108	14	3	4	46	38	26	7	.292
1969	Omaha	134	441	55	116	7	5	3	59	51	53	8	.263
1970	KANSAS CITY	77	240	22	60	11	1	1	22	16	33	0	.250
1971	KANSAS CITY	16	30	4	9	0	2	0	1	3	5	0	.300
1971	Omaha	69	262	22	61	8	1	1	30	25	30	3	.233
Major League Totals		93	270	26	69	11	3	1	23	19	38	0	.256

‡Led league.

L-L SPLITTORFF, PAUL WILLIAM, JR. (P) #34

Paul, 6-3, 205, was born Oct. 8, 1946, at Evansville, Ind. . . . he and wife Lynn and daughter Jennifer (6-18-69) live in Blue Springs, Mo. . . . he has a Bachelor of Science Degree in business administration from Morningside College in Sioux City, Ia. . . . Paul worked for the Royals during the winter.

Splittorff, a late choice in the June, 1968, Free Agent Draft, became one of the Royals' most effective pitchers in 1971 after he was called up from Omaha on May 29 . . . the lefty made his first start on June 8 vs. Washington . . . he went 7.2 innings, allowed 5 hits and 1 run as the Royals won, 4-2 . . . 10 days later, after a no-decision start against Boston, Splittorff hurled his first major league complete game with a 6-1 win over California . . . he fanned 9, his major league high . . . from June 28-Sept. 1, Paul was nothing short of phenomenal . . . in 96 innings, he allowed only 15

earned runs, a 1.41 ERA . . . his season ERA was 2.69 . . . he had only a 5-5 record during the June 28-Sept. 1 span . . . in those 5 losers, 1 was by a 1-0 score, 3 by 2-1 and 1 by 2-0 . . . he pitched 3 shutouts, including a 1-hitter at Washington, 1-0, in a game shortened by rain to 5 innings . . . a double by Jeff Burroughs to open the 5th was the only hit . . . his other shutouts were at California on June 28, 3-0, and against New York on Aug. 27, 4-0 . . . he was within 6 outs or less of 3 other shutouts . . . Paul had 1 stretch of 34 innings from Aug. 6-Sept. 5 in which he allowed only 3 earned runs, on 0.79 ERA . . . in 4 of his 6 complete games, he allowed only 4 hits or less . . . he had 6 starts in which he allowed no earned runs, 5 in which he allowed only 1, and 5 more in which he allowed only 2 . . . had he pitched only 18 more innings, he would have finished 4th in the AL in the earned run average derby . . . he was as high as 2nd—trailing only Vida Blue . . . Paul was involved in the decision in all but 5 of his starts . . . the Royals won 3 of those and lost 2 . . . the 2 losses were by 1 run . . . Splittorff finished second to Milwaukee's Bill Parsons in The Sporting News' Rookie Pitcher-of-the-Year poll in the American League . . . before joining the Royals, Paul had the lowest ERA in the American Association . . . in 61 innings at Omaha, he had given only 3 home runs . . . he allowed just 4 in 144 innings for KC, and the first one came after 61 innings by Tony Taylor on July 28 . . . it was Paul's 10th game . . . he was the first player originally signed by the Royals to make it on the major league roster (Oct. 24, 1969) and was the second to appear in a game . . . Jim York beat him by 2 days . . . his first major league appearance was in a starting role in Chicago on Sept. 23, 1970 . . . he lost 6-0, but pitched 7 strong innings, striking out 8 (including 4 in a row) and walking 3 . . . Splittorff had joined the Royals after helping Omaha win its second straight American Association pennant . . . he won 2 games in the playoffs against Denver, including the clincher, 10-1 . . . earlier, he had been selected for the league All-Star Game . . . in 1969, he tied for the Omaha lead in wins . . . he led all New York-Penn League pitchers in fielding in 1968 . . . he had 32 perfect chances including a league-leading 26 assists . . . he was named to the all-league team . . . Paul was a baseball-basketball star at Morningside and at Arlington Heights (Ill.) High School . . . he pitched for the United States team in the Pan-American Games in 1967 when it won the championship at Winnipeg, Canada . . . Lou Gorman, the Royals' director of minor league operations and scouting, signed Paul.

Year Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1968 Corning	16	15	*11	8	5	*120	*127	56	46	47	*136	3.45
1969 Omaha	28	26	*11	12	10	174	201	101	88	63	101	4.55
1970 Omaha	28	25	6	8	12	162	192	87	69	55	91	3.83
1970 KANSAS CITY	2	1	0	0	1	9	16	9	7	5	10	7.27
1971 Omaha	8	8	3	5	2	61	51	16	10	10	51	1.48
1971 KANSAS CITY	22	22	6	8	9	144	129	49	43	35	80	2.69
Major League Totals	24	23	6	8	10	153	145	58	50	40	90	2.94

*Tied for league lead.

Major League Batting Record

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1971 KANSAS CITY	22	48	3	5	1	0	0	1	3	8	0	.104
Major League Totals	24	50	3	6	1	0	0	1	3	8	0	.120

R-R WRIGHT, KENNETH WARREN, JR. (P) #28

Ken, 6-2, 210, was born Sept. 4, 1946, at Pensacola, Fla., where he still lives with wife Jill, daughter Lisa (8-9-68) and Kenneth Warren, III (12-21-71) . . . he has attended the University of Southern Mississippi in Hattiesburg and the University of Alabama . . . he studied at the University of West Florida in Pensacola last winter.

Wright, selected from the Boston Red Sox' Louisville farm club in the second round of the minor league draft on Dec. 1, 1969, faces an uncertain role in 1972 because of shoulder and weight problems experienced last summer . . . he could be a very key man, if he avoids those problems . . . Ken had several truly outstanding outings in '71 . . . he displayed an overpowering fastball . . . then he suffered muscle tenderness in his right shoulder . . . that forced inactivity and his weight, which had been about 218 at the outset jumped to nearly 250 . . . he had been that heavy when Kaycee drafted him . . . Ken never fully recovered from the wieght problem during the season, but forced dieting last winter had him geared to report this spring at 210 . . . if he overcomes at all, he could be a fulltime starter, although he has shown he can relieve, too . . . his first 6 appearances in '71 were in relief . . . he made the first of 12 consecutive starts on May 2 . . . his third start may have been the most heartbreaking loss of the season for the Royals . . . it was in Kaycee against Oakland and Vida Blue . . . Ken allowed only 4 hits through the first 8 innings and carried a 3-0 lead into the ninth . . . he walked the leadoff man in the ninth and was taken out . . . Oakland scored 5 runs for a 5-3 win . . . Wright's first major league victory as a starter came on May 28 in Washington . . . he hurled a superb 5-0 shutout, allowing only 6 hits and striking out 9, his major league high . . . he was bothered by a blister on the middle finger of his right hand in that game but was able to finish . . . in his next start, a 6-2 win in New York, he was forced to leave in the sixth inning because of the blister . . . Wright suffered the muscle tenderness after his next start and was placed on the disabled list on June 24 . . . he was reactivated on July 15 and optioned to Omaha to work back onto shape . . . he was recalled on Aug. 2 and made 5 more starts before ending the season with 3 relief appearances . . .

1 of his starts was in Washington on Aug. 12 in the first game of a doubleheader . . . Ken needed last out relief help to preserve a 2-0 victory . . . that lowered his ERA to 2.70 . . . he struggled the rest of the year because of the shoulder and weight . . . he was a fulltime member of the bullpen in 1970 when he led the team in appearances . . . Ken collected his first major league victory with a 10th inning relief stint against Detroit on April 30, 1970 . . . he tied for the Eastern League lead in shutouts in 1969 with 4 . . . Wright was signed by Red Sox scout George Digby.

Year	Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1964	Wellsville	12	5	1	3	0	46	43	36	33	40	30	6.46
1965	Winston-Salem	29	13	3	7	6	94	84	64	60	91	77	5.74
1966	Pittsfield	30	16	2	3	8	111	114	74	64	76	80	5.19
1967	Pittsfield	30	23	4	9	13	145	140	62	54	60	128	3.35
1968	Pittsfield	24	23	6	8	9	131	90	41	35	62	96	2.40
1969	Pittsfield	31	21	12	12	10	165	147	74	58	92	136	3.16
1970	KANSAS CITY	47	0	0	1	2	53	49	33	31	29	30	5.26
1971	KANSAS CITY	21	12	1	3	6	78	66	34	32	47	56	3.69
1971	Omaha	4	4	1	2	0	26	21	7	7	5	23	2.42
Major League Totals		68	12	1	4	8	131	115	67	63	76	86	4.32

Major League Batting Record

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1971	KANSAS CITY	21	22	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	10	0	.091
Major League Totals		68	26	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	12	0	.071

1971 HIGHS AND LOWS

TEAM	
Longest Winning Streak	6 games, twice, May 28-June 5, June 8-14.
Longest Losing Streak	8 games, July 25 (second game) —Aug. 3.
Most Runs, Game	11, at New York, June 5.
Most Hits, Game	16, vs. Boston, Aug. 24.
Most Home Runs, Game	3, at Oakland, Sept. 29.
Most Runs, Inning	9, at California (ninth inning), Sept. 22.
Most Runs, First Inning	6, vs. Cleveland, April 25.
Most Stolen Bases, Game	6, vs. Milwaukee, Sept. 7.
Most Double Plays, Game	6, vs. Oakland, May 14.
Most Runs, Game, by Opponent	12, twice, Milwaukee, May 22; at Chicago, June 23.
Most Hits, Game, by Opponent	17, twice, Washington, Aug. 20 (second game); New York, Aug. 29.
Most Home Runs, Game, by Opponent	3, twice, at Detroit, July 28, July 29.
Most Errors, Game	4, twice, at New York, Aug. 17 (second game); at Milwaukee, Sept. 1.
INDIVIDUAL	
Longest Hitting Streak	18 games, Lou Piniella, July 11-29.
Most Hits, Game	4, nine times, latest, Amos Otis vs. Milwaukee, Sept. 7.
Most Home Runs, Game	2, twice, Ed Kirkpatrick, vs. Cleveland, July 16; Bob Oliver at Oakland, Sept. 29.
Most RBI, Game	5, Paul Schaal, at Boston, Aug. 15.
Longest Winning Streak, Pitcher	4 games, four times, Bruce Dal Canton, April 27-May 15; Dick Drago, April 17-May 31; Al Fitzmorris, July 21-Aug. 14; Mike Hedlund, Aug. 10 (second game)-Aug. 28.
Most strikeouts, Game, Pitcher	9, Ken Wright at Washington, May 28.

AMERICAN LEAGUE CURFEW

All night games must be called at 1 a.m., local time. However, if an inning is started prior to 1 a.m., it can be completed. Other curfew restrictions are contained in American League Regulation 3.4.

THE NON- ROSTER PLAYERS

R-R BUNKER, WALLACE EDWARD (P) #27

(On Omaha Roster)

Wally, 6-1½, 205, was born Jan. 25, 1945, at Seattle, Wash., now resides in Olathe, Kan., with wife Kathy and sons, Michael (9-6-66) and Sean (8-26-68) . . . a nickname is Bunk.

Bunker, a 3rd round choice from Baltimore in the expansion draft will be trying to rebound in 1972 after a frustrating year in 1971 . . . he started the season with the Royals, and his first 6 games were as a starter . . . he started the second game of the season in California and was a 7-3 loser . . . previous shoulder and arm problems seemed to affect his delivery . . . his next appearance was in the second game of a doubleheader in Milwaukee on April 18 . . . he went 6 innings and struck out 8 before being taken out for a pinch-hitter . . . Milwaukee won the game, 3-2, in 13 innings . . . Wally's next 2 starts resulted in victories against Cleveland and Baltimore . . . in Detroit on May 8, he went 7 innings and was the loser as Norm Cash hit a 2-run homer but observers felt he had thrown the best he had all year . . . after 2 less effective appearances it was felt that he would have a better chance of regaining his form by pitching regularly in Triple A so he was sent to Omaha and inserted in the starting rotation . . . inconsistency plagued him although he had some solid outings . . . the Royals still believe he can regain his effectiveness . . . Bunker's best season in the majors was his rookie year for Baltimore in 1964 . . . after compiling a 19-5 record, he was named winner of The Sporting News' Rookie Pitcher-of-the-Year award in the American League . . . his .792 percentage shared the major league lead with Sandy Koufax . . . he was hampered in each succeeding year by various ailments . . . he got off to a slow start in the Royals' first year, winning only 2 games prior to June 19 . . . from that point on, he was the ace of the staff . . . he led the staff in wins . . . Wally hurled a 1-hitter against California on Sept. 11, 1967 when he blanked the Angels, 3-0 . . . Jay Johnstone's leadoff single in the 7th was the only hit . . . he had 1-hitters for Baltimore against Washington (5-5-64) and Kansas City (7-3-64) . . . Bunker also has a World Series victory to his credit, a 1-0 blanking of Los Angeles in Game 3 of the 1966 Series . . . his major league strikeout high (10) came June 3, 1969, vs. Washington . . . Don McShane and Fred Hoffman signed Bunker to his first contract and Royals Coach Harry Dunlop was his manager for California League champion Stockton in his first year.

Year Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1963 Stockton	14	14	8	10	1	99	82	41	28	53	95	2.55
1963 Baltimore	1	1	0	0	1	4	10	6	6	3	1	13.50
1964 Baltimore	29	29	12	19	5	214	161	72	64	62	96	2.69
1965 Baltimore	34	27	4	10	8	189	170	79	71	58	84	3.38
1966 Baltimore	29	24	3	10	6	143	151	74	68	48	89	4.28
1967 Baltimore	29	9	1	3	7	88	83	46	40	31	51	4.09
1968 Rochester	10	10	2	6	1	70	56	25	21	17	46	2.70
1968 Baltimore	18	10	2	2	0	71	59	25	19	14	44	2.41
1969 KANSAS CITY	35	31	10	12	11	223	198	89	80	62	130	3.23
1970 KANSAS CITY	24	15	2	2	11	122	109	63	57	50	59	4.20
1971 KANSAS CITY	7	6	0	2	3	33	35	19	18	6	15	5.06
1971 Omaha	17	17	5	4	10	101	132	63	44	33	61	3.92
Major League Totals	206	152	34	60	52	1087	976	463	423	334	469	3.52

Major League Batting Record

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1971 KANSAS CITY	7	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	.000
Major League Totals	207	331	20	31	8	0	0	17	36	145	1	.094

World Series Pitching Record

Year Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1966 Baltimore	1	1	1	1	0	9	6	0	0	1	6	0.00

R-R BURROWS, ROBERT JOHN (C) #50

(On Omaha Roster)

Bob, 6-2, 190, was born March 10, 1947, at Victoria, British Columbia, Canada, where he still resides . . . he is single, has attended Spokane (Wash.) Community College and Seattle (Wash.) Pacific College . . . he works for the post office during the off-season.

Burrows, an original signee by the Royals as a free agent in 1969, has made steady progress in his brief professional career . . . he had an excellent year with 2 teams last year . . . he is a solid defensive catcher and handler of pitchers but well may need more experience . . . after the season, he played in the Florida Instructional League for the Kansas City Baseball Academy . . . he tied for the league lead in doubles (11), hit 2 homers, tied for 6th in RBI (25) and had a .288 average . . . he was one of 4 unanimous choices on the Southern Division all-star team . . . in his first year of pro ball, Burrows was 9th in hitting in the Northern League, ranked second in defense (.977), was named to play in the league all-star game and made the all-league team . . . he was the only catcher to appear in more than 100 games in the California League in 1970 and led the league in assists (83) . . . he is a graduate of Oak Bay High School in Victoria and played basketball and baseball at both colleges he attended before signing for Royals scout Jim Ennis . . . he was a high draft choice of the Seattle Supersonics of the National Basketball Association.

Year Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1969 Winnipeg	58	198	31	58	10	2	6	26	27	69	3	.293
1970 Waterloo	4	14	1	2	0	0	1	5	2	6	0	.143
1970 San Jose	113	404	59	97	15	4	8	57	37	128	3	.240
1971 Elmira	64	200	15	49	13	2	1	26	14	30	0	.245
1971 San Jose	40	140	21	40	4	2	7	36	12	29	1	.286

R-R BUSBY, STEVEN LEE (P) #52

(On San Jose Roster)

Steve, 6-2, 205, was born Sept. 29, 1949, at Burbank, Calif. . . . he and wife Terri now call Fullerton, Calif. home . . . Steve works as a construction foreman during the off-season . . . he majored in Business Analysis at the University of Southern California . . . a nickname is Buzz.

Busby, a 2nd round choice by the Royals in the secondary phase of the June, 1971, Free Agent Draft is one of the most promising youngsters in the Royals farm system . . . his poise and confidence, plus a good fastball, curve and changeup, could project him onto the major league scene as early as 1972 . . . Busby has impressive credentials . . . he hurled a 2-hit shutout in his first professional game for San Jose of the California League on July 19, 1971 . . . it was a 7-inning game and he struck out 9 . . . he added a 3-hit, 10-strikeout, 7-inning shutout in August . . . he did not allow a home run in 40 innings pitched at San Jose . . . after the California League season ended, Busby played for the Royals' Florida Instructional League team . . . he had a 5-2 record, a 1.50 ERA, led the league in strikeouts with 67 in just 60 innings, walked only 15 and allowed just 42 hits . . . for his year's work of 107 innings he did not allow any home runs . . . perhaps his best performance in the FIL was against the Kansas City Baseball Academy when he hurled 6 shutout innings, allowed but 1 hit and struck out 13 . . . at season's end, he was named the outstanding pitcher in the Southern Division and was a unanimous choice for the all-star team . . . Busby was a basketball, football and baseball star at Fullerton Union High School and starred in baseball at USC . . . he led the Trojans to the College World Series last spring, then won the championship game 7-2 on an 8-hitter over Southern Illinois . . . he had a 11-2 record and 1.95 ERA for 21 games . . . he earned All-America honors . . . he was 3-0 his junior year . . . Steve was signed by Western Scouting Director Rosey Gilhousen and Art Lilly . . . Steve is a cousin of Atlanta Braves coach Jim Busby.

Year	Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1971	San Jose	8	7	2	4	1	40	31	14	3	14	50	0.68

L-R HARMON, THOMAS HAROLD (C) #51

(On Omaha Roster)

Tommy, 5-11, 180, was born Dec. 16, 1948, at Lubbock, Tex. . . . he is single, now makes his home in Fort Worth, Tex. . . . he has attended the University of Texas, majoring in Business Administration . . . he is named after the former great college and professional football player.

Harmon, the Royals' No. 1 choice in the secondary phase of the June, 1970, Free Agent Draft has shown good promise in his short time in organized baseball . . . he has never played below Class AA . . . military duty limited his action last year . . . he went into the service late in spring training, came out in the latter part of June . . . down the stretch, he helped Elmira to the Eastern League championship . . . Harmon had an outstanding collegiate career . . . he led Texas into the College World Series 3 times in his 4 years . . . he was named to the all-tournament team in 1970 as Texas finished third . . . Tommy was named to the College All-America team selected for The Sporting News by major league scouting directors and was a second team selection on the Topps University Division All-America team chosen by college coaches . . . both honors were in 1970 . . . when he jumped into the pro ranks, he had a double, single and 1 RBI in his first game and hit .305 the first month . . . Scout Jimmie Adair signed him.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1970	Elmira	77	287	37	80	9	1	1	21	15	21	0	.279
1971	Omaha	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	....
1971	Elmira	55	200	24	52	11	2	0	19	10	16	0	.260

R-R NELSON, ROGER EUGENE (P) #35

(On Omaha Roster)

Roger, 6-3, 205, was born June 7, 1944, at Altadena, Calif. . . . he now lives in Shawnee Mission, Kan., with wife Marion and sons Billy (5-31-68) and Kyle (9-17-70) . . . Roger has attended Mount San Antonio Junior College in Walnut, Calif. . . . a nickname is Spider, which he picked up for his pass-stealing ability in basketball.

Nelson, the Royals' top choice in the expansion draft from Baltimore, is hoping to make a complete comeback in 1972 after 2 years of struggling . . . he is doing it as a non-roster player for the first time . . . he could make it back as a relief pitcher if a knuckleball he began working on last season becomes consistently effective . . . he first showed the pitch extensively on Sept. 19 in Minnesota in the first game of a doubleheader . . . Roger pitched 6 innings in that game and allowed only 1 hit . . . it was his most impressive stint of the year for the Royals . . . he continued working on it in the Florida Instructional League where he was 0-0, 4.85 in 4 games . . . his only decision of 1971 was a 2-1 loss at Washington . . . he pitched 4 innings of relief but allowed only 3 hits of the seeing-eye variety . . . Nelson started the season at Omaha where he was used as a starter . . . he joined KC on June 24 . . . Roger worked only briefly in 1970 before being hampered by a sore shoulder . . . he didn't pitch at all after

June 10 until the instructional league . . . he had been the workhorse the first 4 months of 1969 before his season was interrupted by 2 weeks of military service . . . Kansas City was shut out in 6 of his losses that year and 3 more were by 1 run . . . he had a 3-hitter against Detroit on Sept. 2, 1969, his last major league victory . . . he had 4-hitters against California and Seattle, the latter a game in which he struck out 7, a high for him in Kansas City . . . Nelson climbed to prominence late in 1968 at Baltimore . . . it started on Aug. 25 when he blanked Boston on 2 hits for 7 innings of relief in an 18-inning game . . . he won, 3-2 . . . he started after that . . . Roger had 6 no-hit innings against Boston and fanned 13, then had a 2-1 win over Denny McLain when the Detroit ace had a 31-5 record . . . Chicago White Sox Scout E. S. (Doc) Bennett originally signed Roger . . . in his second year, he retired 28 consecutive batters from the 2nd to the 11th inning of a 2-1, 17-inning loss to Daytona Beach . . . Roger hurled the first 14 innings and struck out 22.

Year	Club	G	GS	CG	W	L	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1963	Middlesboro	16	8	4	5	4	64	59	41	34	50	83	4.78
1964	Portsmouth	4	0	0	0	0	7	9	7	4	7	3	5.14
1964	Sarasota	15	11	2	2	4	65	54	23	17	25	72	2.35
1965	Tidewater	25	24	9	9	7	150	125	62	52	59	120	3.12
1966	Evansville	22	17	6	6	10	131	123	63	55	41	104	3.78
1967	Chicago (AL)	5	0	0	0	1	7	4	1	1	0	4	1.29
1967	Indianapolis	37	0	0	3	3	57	57	33	28	18	52	4.42
1968	Rochester	4	4	1	3	0	28	13	4	4	5	30	1.29
1968	Baltimore	19	6	0	4	3	71	49	21	19	26	70	2.41
1969	KANSAS CITY	29	29	8	7	13	193	170	78	71	65	82	3.31
1970	KANSAS CITY	4	2	0	0	2	9	18	10	10	0	3	10.00
1971	Omaha	11	11	1	2	3	64	70	32	27	22	60	3.80
1971	KANSAS CITY	13	1	0	0	1	34	35	20	20	5	29	5.29
Major League Totals		70	38	8	11	20	314	276	130	121	96	188	3.47

Major League Batting Record

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1971	KANSAS CITY	13	6	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	.333
Major League Totals		70	80	6	11	0	1	0	3	6	28	0	.138

IN MEMORIAM

RUIZ, HIRALDO SABLON

Chico Ruiz, who was scheduled to report to the Royals spring training camp in late February, was killed in an automobile accident in San Diego, Calif., Feb. 9. Chico was born in Santo Domingo, Cuba on Dec. 12, 1938 and he and his wife Ysabel became American Citizens Jan. 7, 1972. Chico is also survived by his children, Isis (2-1-64) and Barbara (8-2-65). The Royals are deeply affected by the loss of a fine baseball player and an outstanding individual.

Ruiz, selected from the California Angels' Quad Cities farm club roster in the minor league draft on Nov. 29, 1971, was given an outstanding chance of being a utility infielder with the Royals in 1972 . . . he spent most of 1971 with the Angels but appeared in only 31 games . . . he finished up in Salt Lake City . . . his value as a utility man never was exhibited better than when he filled in at third base for a 7-game stretch in 1970 for the Angels . . . he hit in all 7 games, going 9-for-21 (.429) . . . in the final game of that span on June 26, he started the Angels' only triple play in their history . . . that occurred in Kansas City . . . he played all positions in his major league career except pitcher . . . he played 164 games at second base, 132 at third, 79 at shortstop, 20 at first, 16 in the outfield, and he caught Aug. 19, 1970, vs. Cleveland . . . Chico's minor league career was outstanding . . . he made the California League all-star team in 1959 and the Sally League all-star team in 1960 after leading the league in putouts (248) and double plays (93) by a shortstop . . . he was Rookie-of-the-Year at Indianapolis in 1961 . . . at San Diego in 1963, he was the Most Valuable Player in the Pacific Coast League, made the all-star team, and set a club record for stolen bases . . . he was second in stolen bases in the New York-Pennsylvania League in 1958 and led the league in which he played in each of his next 5 years . . . he was the co-holder of the California League short-stop record for most double plays in one season (121) and one game (5) . . . the year was 1959 . . . he was named the Pacific Coast League's fastest player in a poll of league managers in 1962 and 1963 . . . Ruiz signed his pro contract for Cincinnati's Tony Pacheco.

Year	Club	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	Pct.
1958	Geneva	126	530	89	133	20	4	0	31	47	60	29	.251
1959	Visalia	137	‡599	110	151	17	7	5	44	69	89	‡61	.252
1960	Columbia	137	‡594	90	172	17	9	4	44	34	57	‡55	.290
1961	Indianapolis	147	602	91	164	27	11	3	50	25	61	‡44	.272
1962	San Diego	144	‡621	108	176	29	6	5	43	27	65	‡40	.283
1963	San Diego	144	617	83	184	20	4	11	46	19	69	‡50	.298
1964	San Diego	72	293	47	92	17	3	3	28	17	36	19	.314
1964	Cincinnati	77	311	33	76	13	2	2	16	7	41	11	.244
1965	Cincinnati	29	18	7	2	1	0	0	1	0	5	1	.111
1966	Cincinnati	82	110	13	28	2	1	0	5	5	14	1	.255
1967	Cincinnati	105	250	32	55	12	4	0	13	11	35	9	.220
1968	Cincinnati	85	139	15	36	2	1	0	9	12	18	4	.259
1969	Cincinnati	88	196	19	48	4	1	0	13	14	28	4	.245
1970	California	68	107	10	26	3	1	0	12	7	16	3	.243
1971	California	31	19	4	5	0	0	0	0	2	7	1	.267
1971	Salt Lake City	8	24	1	6	2	0	0	2	1	4	0	.250
Major League Totals		565	1150	133	276	37	10	2	69	57	159	34	.240

‡Led league

C—Complete Game
R—Relief

1971 ROYALS DAY-

Date	D-N	Opponent	Score	Rec.	Pos.	GB	Winning Pitcher
4-6	N	at California	4-1	1-0	T1	—	DRAGO (C)(1-0)
4-7	N	at California	3-7	1-1	T2	1	Murphy (C)
4-8	N	at California	3-2	2-1	2	½	HEDLUND (1-0)
4-9	N	at Oakland	0-5(5½)	2-2	2	1	Blue (C)
4-10	D	at Oakland	4-5	2-3	T4	1½	Locker (R)
4-11	D	at Oakland	10-5	3-3	4	1	FITZMORRIS (1-0)
4-12	N	Minnesota	0-2	3-4	T4	1½	Blyleven (C)
4-13	N	Minnesota	5-3	4-4	T2	½	HEDLUND (2-0)
4-14	N	California	1-4	4-5	5	1	C. Wright
4-15	N	California	2-5(11)	4-6	5	2	Fisher (R)
4-17	D	at Milwaukee	5-3	5-6	4	2	DRAGO (2-1)
4-18	D	at Milwaukee	2-1	6-6			BURGMEIER (R)(1-0)
			2-3(13)	6-7	4	2½	Sanders (R)
4-19	D	at Minnesota	8-9	6-8	4	3	Barber (R)
4-20	D	at Minnesota	4-5	6-9	5	4	Perry
4-23	N	Cleveland	5-2	7-9	4	5	DRAGO (3-1)
4-24	D	Cleveland	6-0	8-9	4	5	HEDLUND (C)(3-0)
4-25	D	Cleveland	6-4	9-9	T2	4	BUNKER (1-1)
4-26	N	Detroit	3-8	9-10	4	5	Niekro
4-27	N	Detroit	8-1	10-10	3	4	DAL CANTON (C)(1-1)
4-28	N	Detroit	1-2(10)	10-11	3	5	Lolich (C)
4-30	N	Baltimore	5-4	11-11	3	4½	ABERNATHY (R)(1-1)
5-1	D	Baltimore	5-2	12-11	3	3½	BUNKER (2-1)
5-2	D	Baltimore	3-5	12-12	3	4	Cuellar (C)
5-4	D	at Cleveland	2-0	13-12	3	3	DAL CANTON (2-1)
5-5	D	at Cleveland	4-2	14-12	T2	3	DRAGO (4-1)
5-7	N	at Detroit	1-3	14-13	2	3	Lolich (C)
5-8	D	at Detroit	1-2	14-14	3	4	Coleman
5-9	D	at Detroit	6-2	15-14	2	4½	BURGMEIER (R)(2-1)
5-10	N	at Baltimore	4-1	16-14	2	4	DAL CANTON (C)(3-1)
5-11	N	at Baltimore	4-5(10)	16-15	2	4	Watt (R)
5-12	N	at Baltimore	0-6	16-16	T2	5	Cuellar (C)
5-13	N	Oakland	3-6	16-17	4	6	Hunter (C)
5-14	N	Oakland	3-5	16-18	4	7	Locker (R)
5-15	D	Oakland	5-4	17-18	4	6	DAL CANTON (4-1)
5-16	D	Oakland	2-4	17-19			Dobson
			10-4	18-19	T3	6	YORK (R)(1-2)
5-19	N	Chicago	2-0	19-19	3	6½	HEDLUND (4-2)
5-22	D	Milwaukee	0-12	19-20	3	7½	Pattin
5-23	D	Milwaukee	0-4	19-21	T3	8½	Parsons
5-25	N	at Chicago	8-3	20-21	3	8½	YORK (R)(2-2)
5-26	N	at Chicago	2-7	20-22	3	8½	Wood (C)
5-28	N	at Washington	5-0	21-22	3	7½	WRIGHT (C)(1-2)
5-31	D	at Boston	7-3	22-22			DAL CANTON (5-2)
			9-4	23-22	2	7	DRAGO (5-1)
6-1	D	at Boston	4-2	24-22	2	7	HEDLUND (C)(5-3)
6-4	N	at New York	6-2	25-22	2	7	WRIGHT (2-2)
6-5	D	at New York	11-7	26-22	2	7	ABERNATHY (R)(2-3)
6-6	D	at New York	2-5	26-23	2	8	Bahnsen (C)
6-8	N	Washington	4-2	27-23	2	7	SPLITTORFF (1-0)
6-9	N	Washington	5-4	28-23	2	7	BURGMEIER (R)(3-1)
6-11	N	Boston	6-3	29-23	2	6	DAL CANTON (6-2)
6-12	N	Boston	7-0	30-23	2	6	DRAGO (C)(6-2)
6-13	D	Boston	4-3	31-23	2	5	YORK (R)(3-2)
6-14	N	New York	4-1	32-23	2	4½	HEDLUND (C)(6-3)
6-15	N	New York	1-2	32-24	2	5½	Kline (C)
6-16	N	New York	2-3	32-25	2	6½	Bahnsen (C)
6-17	N	California	5-0	33-25	2	6	DRAGO (C)(7-2)
6-18	N	California	6-1	34-25	2	6	SPLITTORFF (C)(2-0)
6-19	D	California	4-7	34-26	2	7	Messersmith
6-20	D	California	5-1	35-26			DAL CANTON (7-2)
			4-8	35-27	2	7	Murphy
6-21	N	at Chicago	1-5	35-28	2	8	John
6-22	N	at Chicago	6-11	35-29	2	8	Bradley
6-23	D	at Chicago	3-12	35-30	2	9	Wood (C)
6-25	N	at Oakland	0-7	35-31	2	10	Blue (C)
6-26	D	at Oakland	2-4	35-32	2	11	Hunter
6-27	D	at Oakland	0-3	35-33			Odom (C)
			6-3	36-33	2	11	BUTLER (1-0)
6-28	N	at California	3-0	37-33	2	11	SPLITTORFF (C)(3-1)
6-29	N	at California	2-1	38-33	2	10	HEDLUND (C) (7-4)
6-30	N	at California	3-4	38-34	2	10	Allen (R)
7-1	N	at California	9-4	39-34	2	9½	DRAGO (C)(8-4)
7-2	N	Chicago	1-2	39-35	2	10½	Magnuson
7-3	N	Chicago	0-1	39-36	2	10½	John (C)
7-4	D	Chicago	0-1	39-37	2	11½	Wood (C)
7-5	D	Chicago	6-1	40-37			DAL CANTON (8-3)
			1-0	41-37	2	10	ROOKER (C)(1-6)
7-6	N	at Milwaukee	1-0	42-37	2	10	DRAGO (C)(9-4)
7-7	N	at Milwaukee	2-8	42-38	2	10	Parsons (C)
7-8	N	at Milwaukee	1-2	42-39	2	11	Lopez
7-9	N	at Minnesota	6-3	43-39	2	11	BURGMEIER (R)(4-2)

BY-DAY RECORD

Losing Pitcher	Daily Att.	Home Op. No.	Att. Total	Road Op. No.	Att. Total
Wright	24,434			1	24,434
BUNKER (0-1)	8,042			2	32,476
Messersmith	8,754			3	41,230
ROOKER (0-1)	3,131			4	44,361
YORK (R)(0-1)	4,444			5	48,805
Hunter	5,238			6	54,043
DRAGO (1-1)	32,728	1	32,728		
Williams (R)	6,740	2	39,468		
ROOKER (0-2)	6,885	3	46,353		
YORK (R)(0-2)	7,510	4	53,863		
Pattin	7,509			7	61,552
Parsons (C)					
BURGMEIER (R)(1-1)	20,622			8	82,174
ROOKER (0-3)	2,908			9	85,082
DAL CANTON (0-1)	3,491			10	88,573
McDowell	7,696	5	61,559		
A. Foster	7,625	6	69,184		
Hargan	9,648	7	78,832		
ROOKER (0-4)	6,424	8	85,256		
Chance	6,275	9	91,531		
ABERNATHY (R)(0-1)	7,006	10	98,537		
Dukes (R)	9,432	11	107,969		
McNally	8,151	12	116,120		
WRIGHT (0-1)	29,120	13	145,240		
Hargan	2,931			11	91,504
Dunning	3,056			12	94,560
HEDLUND (3-1)	13,973			13	108,533
BUNKER (2-2)	15,441			14	123,974
Niekro	25,570			15	149,544
McNally	5,577			16	155,121
ABERNATHY (R)(1-2)	4,979			17	160,100
HEDLUND (3-2)	5,900			18	166,000
BUNKER (2-3)	9,796	14	155,036		
ABERNATHY (R)(1-3)	21,237	15	176,273		
Knowles (R)	12,667	16	188,940		
ROOKER (R)(0-5)					
Locker (R)	21,316	17	210,256		
Johnson	7,015	18	217,271		
WRIGHT (0-2)	6,654	19	223,925		
DAL CANTON (4-2)	26,765	20	250,690		
Bradley	2,241			19	168,241
HEDLUND (4-3)	2,605			20	170,846
McLain	4,139			21	174,985
Culp					
Peters	31,110			22	206,095
Lonborg	9,816			23	215,911
Peterson	10,803			24	226,714
Waslewski (R)	10,874			25	237,588
DRAGO (5-2)	59,348			26	296,936
Cox	13,207	21	263,897		
Lindblad (R)	9,242	22	273,139		
Tiant	15,827	23	288,966		
Lonborg	21,557	24	310,523		
Siebert	15,631	25	326,154		
Kekich	11,870	26	338,024		
WRIGHT (2-3)	15,348	27	353,372		
BURGMEIER (R)(3-2)	25,496	28	378,868		
May	10,509	29	389,377		
Hassler (R)	14,657	30	404,034		
YORK (R)(3-3)	9,800	31	413,834		
Wright					
FITZMORRIS (1-1)	35,295	32	449,129		
ROOKER (0-6)	7,821			27	304,757
DRAGO (7-3)	9,105			28	313,862
SPLITTORFF (2-1)	5,910			29	319,772
HEDLUND (6-4)	33,888			30	353,660
DAL CANTON (7-3)	39,920			31	393,580
DRAGO (7-4)					
Segui	33,477			32	427,057
Reynolds	8,920			33	435,977
Murphy	8,297			34	444,274
ABERNATHY (R)(2-4)	20,635			35	464,909
Messersmith	6,657			36	471,566
BUTLER (1-1)	11,050	33	460,179		
SPLITTORFF (3-2)	11,520	34	471,699		
HEDLUND (7-5)	12,146	35	483,845		
Bradley					
Horlen	13,296	36	497,141		
Pattin	6,947			37	478,513
BUTLER (1-2)	7,409			38	485,922
SPLITTORFF (3-3)	7,367			39	493,289
Perry	11,698			40	504,987

1971 ROYALS DAY-

Date	D-N	Opponent	Score	Rec.	Pos.	GB	Winning Pitcher
7-11	D	at Minnesota	5-6(10)	43-40			Luebber (R)
			1-7	43-41	2	11½	Corbin (C)
7-15	N	Cleveland	1-0	44-41	2	11½	DRAGO (C)(10-5)
7-16	N	Cleveland	4-8	44-42	2	12½	Dunning
7-17	D	Cleveland	7-2	45-42	2	11½	HEDLUND (8-5)
7-18	D	Detroit	8-2	46-42			SPLITTORFF (4-3)
			4-3(10)	47-42	2	10	YORK (R)(4-3)
7-19	N	Detroit	2-5	47-43	2	10	Lolich (C)
7-20	N	Baltimore	7-1	48-43	2	10	DRAGO (C)(11-5)
7-21	N	Baltimore	7-2	49-43	2	10	FITZMORRIS (2-1)
7-22	N	Baltimore	0-4	49-44	2	10½	Leonhard (C)
7-23	N	at Cleveland	6-4	50-44	2	10½	ROOKER (R)(2-7)
7-24	D	at Cleveland	6-1	51-44	2	10½	YORK (R)(5-3)
7-25	D	at Cleveland	4-3	52-44			DRAGO (C)(12-5)
			1-2	52-45	2	10½	Farmer
7-27	N	at Detroit	4-5(11)	52-46	2	10	Lolich (C)
7-28	N	at Detroit	7-8	52-47	2	10	Chance (R)
7-29	N	at Detroit	9-10	52-48	2	10½	Scherman (R)
7-30	N	at Baltimore	0-1(4½)	52-49	2	10½	Palmer (C)
7-31	N	at Baltimore	0-4	52-50	2	11½	Dobson (C)
8-2	N	Oakland	1-2	52-51	2	13½	Segui
8-3	N	Oakland	5-7	52-52	2	14½	Locker (R)
8-4	N	Minnesota	2-1	53-52			DRAGO (C)(13-6)
			3-0	54-52	2	14	FITZMORRIS (C)(3-1)
8-5	N	Minnesota	7-4	55-52	2	14	ABERNATHY (R)(3-4)
8-6	N	Milwaukee	1-2	55-53	2	14	Lockwood
8-7	N	Milwaukee	5-6	55-54	2	15	Pattin
8-8	D	Milwaukee	7-2	46-54	2	13½	DRAGO (C)(14-6)
8-10	N	at Washington	9-2	57-54			FITZMORRIS (4-1)
			3-1	58-51	2	13½	HEDLUND (9-6)
8-11	N	at Washington	1-0(5)	59-54	2	13½	SPLITTORFF (C)(5-5)
8-12	N	at Washington	2-0	60-54			WRIGHT (3-4)
			1-2	60-55	2	14	Broberg
8-13	N	at Boston	5-1	61-55	2	14	DRAGO (C)(15-6)
8-14	D	at Boston	6-1	62-55	2	14	FITZMORRIS (5-1)
8-15	D	at Boston	5-1	63-55	2	14	HEDLUND (10-6)
8-17	D	at New York	0-2	63-56			Peterson (C)
			5-8	63-57	2	14½	Kekich
8-18	N	at New York	1-3	63-58	2	14½	Stottlemyre (C)
8-20	N	Washington	3-6	63-59			McLain (C)
			2-8	63-60	2	15	Bosman (C)
8-21	N	Washington	8-5	64-60	2	15	HEDLUND (11-6)
8-22	D	Washington	4-1	65-60	2	15½	SPLITTORFF (6-6)
8-24	N	Boston	5-4(13)	66-60	2	15	BURGMEIER (R)(5-6)
8-25	N	Boston	7-5	67-60	2	14	CLEMONS (R)(1-0)
8-26	N	Boston	0-7	67-61	2	14½	Culp (C)
8-27	N	New York	4-0	68-61	2	14½	SPLITTORFF (C)(7-6)
8-28	N	New York	4-3	69-61	2	14½	HEDLUND (C)(12-6)
9-29	D	New York	3-10	69-62	2	16	Closter (R)
8-31	N	at Milwaukee	6-4	70-62	2	16	BURGMEIER (R)(6-6)
9-1	N	at Milwaukee	2-3	70-63	2	17	Sanders (R)
9-2	D	at Milwaukee	0-1	70-64	2	17½	Pattin (C)
9-3	N	at Chicago	3-1	71-64			DRAGO (C)(16-8)
			8-6	72-64	2	15½	BURGMEIER (R)(7-7)
9-4	N	at Chicago	3-1	73-64	2	15½	FITZMORRIS (6-2)
9-5	D	at Chicago	0-8	73-65	2	15½	Wood (C)
9-6	N	Milwaukee	4-3	74-65			HEDLUND (13-7)
			6-4	75-65	2	14	BURGMEIER (R)(8-7)
9-7	N	Milwaukee	4-3	76-65	2	13	BURGMEIER (R)(9-7)
9-8	N	Milwaukee	6-7	76-66	2	14	Bell (R)
9-10	N	Chicago	6-1	77-66	2	14	SPLITTORFF (C)(8-7)
9-11	N	Chicago	4-2	78-66	2	14	HEDLUND (14-7)
9-12	D	Chicago	0-3	78-67	2	14	Wood (C)
9-13	N	Oakland	1-2(11)	78-68	2	15	Hunter
9-14	N	Oakland	2-0	79-68	2	14	MONTGOMERY (1-0)
9-15	N	California	2-6	79-69	2	14½	Messersmith (C)
9-16	N	California	1-2	79-70	2	15	Wright (C)
9-17	N	at Minnesota	2-1	80-70	2	15	HEDLUND (C)(15-7)
9-18	D	at Minnesota	4-2	81-70	2	15	FITZMORRIS (C)(7-4)
9-19	D	at Minnesota	3-6	81-71			Blyleven (C)
			5-2	82-71	2	15½	MONTGOMERY (2-0)
9-21	N	at California	6-2	83-71	2	14	DRAGO (C)(17-10)
9-22	N	at California	10-3	84-71	2	13	ABERNATHY (R)(4-5)
9-25	D	Minnesota	2-7	84-72			Blyleven (C)
			0-7	84-73	2	13½	Kaat (C)
9-26	D	Minnesota	2-6	84-74			Perry
			5-3	85-74	2	14	MONTGOMERY (3-0)
9-28	D	at Oakland	1-2	85-75	2	15	Hunter
9-29	D	at Oakland	7-8	85-76	2	16	Locker (R)

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Losing Pitching	Daily Att.	Home Op. No.	Att. Total	Road Op. No.	Att. Total
BURGMEIER (R)(4-3)					
DRAGO (9-5)	18,207			41	523,194
McDowell	9,663	37	506,804		
DAL CANTON (8-4)	11,221	38	518,025		
Lamb	10,319	39	528,344		
Gilbreth					
Scherman (R)	26,182	40	554,526		
ROOKER (1-7)	9,831	41	564,357		
Cueller	13,165	42	577,522		
Palmer	13,239	43	590,761		
HEDLUND (8-6)	15,615	44	606,376		
McDowell	14,004			42	537,198
Foster	8,930			43	546,128
Lamb					
BURGMEIER (R)(4-4)	12,247			44	558,375
YORK (R)(5-4)	18,718			45	577,093
YORK (R)(5-5)	10,928			46	588,021
BURGMEIER (R)(4-5)	23,207			47	611,228
DRAGO (C)(12-6)	6,828			48	618,056
DAL CANTON (8-5)	13,222			49	631,278
SPLITTORFF (4-4)	14,726	45	621,102		
BURGMEIER (R)(4-6)	35,623	46	656,725		
Blyleven					
Corbin (C)	10,803	47	667,528		
Williams (R)	9,255	48	676,783		
SPLITTORFF (C)(4-5)	8,730	49	685,513		
WRIGHT (2-4)	9,738	50	695,251		
Slaton	16,758	51	712,009		
Bosman					
Thompson	6,409			50	637,687
Gogolewski	2,799			51	640,486
Shellenback					
NELSON (R) (0-1)	5,477			52	645,963
Lonborg	22,620			53	668,583
Peters	21,325			54	689,908
Culp	22,454			55	712,362
SPLITTORFF (5-6)					
ABERNATHY (R)(3-5)	17,223			56	729,585
DRAGO (15-7)	11,829			57	741,414
FITZMORRIS (5-2)					
WRIGHT (3-5)	11,523	52	723,532		
Thompson	8,489	53	732,021		
Brown	12,502	54	744,523		
Tiant (R)	9,963	55	754,486		
Peters	8,101	56	762,587		
WRIGHT (3-6)	9,216	57	771,803		
Bahnsen	10,425	58	782,228		
Peterson (C)	15,845	59	798,073		
DRAGO (15-8)	13,229	60	811,302		
Lockwood	4,863			58	746,277
BURGMEIER (R)(6-7)	4,976			59	751,253
HEDLUND (12-7)	5,385			60	756,638
John					
Kealey (R)	21,138			61	777,776
Bradley	21,072			62	798,848
SPLITTORFF (7-7)	9,367			63	808,215
Krausse					
Reynolds (R)	8,383	61	819,685		
Sanders (R)	5,905	62	825,590		
FITZMORRIS (6-3)	5,790	63	831,380		
Bradley	7,158	64	838,538		
John	8,665	65	847,203		
DRAGO (16-9)	10,880	66	858,083		
FITZMORRIS (6-4)	12,638	67	870,721		
Segui	9,363	68	880,084		
DAL CANTON (8-6)	5,370	69	885,454		
DRAGO (C)(16-10)	5,801	70	891,255		
Perry	16,194			64	824,409
Kaat	9,811			65	834,220
SPLITTORFF (8-8)					
Hamm	9,665			66	843,885
Wright	6,084			67	849,969
Allen (R)	5,030			68	854,999
FITZMORRIS (7-5)					
SPLITTORFF (8-9)	7,191	71	898,446		
DRAGO (17-11)					
Luebber	12,338	72	910,784		
HEDLUND (C)(15-8)	1,252			69	856,251
ABERNATHY (R)(4-6)	1,415			70	857,666

*Non-roster players

Manager—21 Bob Lemon
Coaches— 3 Galen Cisco
4 Harry Dunlop
24 Charley Lau
11 George Strickland

KANSAS CITY ROYALS 1972 ROSTER

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SPRING TRAINING NUMERICAL ROSTER

1—Rojas, 2b
3—Cisco, coach
4—Dunlop, coach
5—Scheinblum, of
6—Martinez, c
7—Mayberry, 1b
8—Kirkpatrick, c-of
9—Piniella, of
10—Schaal, 3b
11—Strickland, coach
12—May, c
14—Severson, inf
15—Floyd, inf
16—Keough, of
17—Paepke, c-of
18—Hopkins, 1b
19—Knoop, 2b
20—Montgomery, p
21—Lemon, manager

No.	PITCHERS (18)	B	T	Birthdate	Hgt.	Wgt.	1971 Club	G	GS	CG	IP	H	BB	SO	W-L	ERA	Birthplace	Residence
36	Abernathy, Ted	R	R	3- 6-33	6-4	210	KANSAS CITY	63	0	0	81	60	50	55	4-6	2.56	Stanley, N.C.	Gastonia, N.C.
49	Angelini, Norm	L	L	9-24-47	5-11	175	Elmira	26	6	4	70	53	18	79	5-6	1.67	San Francisco, Calif.	Half Moon Bay, Calif.
47	Autry, Al	R	R	2-29-52	6-5	200	Waterloo	3	3	1	20	11	12	28	1-2	0.90	Modesto, Calif.	Modesto, Calif.
							San Jose	22	22	6	134	116	85	149	8-11	4.10		
27	*Bunker, Wally	R	R	1-25-45	6-1½	205	KANSAS CITY	7	6	0	33	35	6	15	2-3	5.06	Seattle, Wash.	Olathe, Kan.
							Omaha	17	17	5	101	132	33	61	4-10	3.92		
22	Burgmeier, Tom	L	L	8- 2-43	5-11	185	KANSAS CITY	67	0	0	88	71	30	44	9-7	1.74	St. Paul, Minn.	Overland Park, Kan.
40	*Busby, Steve	R	R	9-29-49	6-2	205	San Jose	8	7	2	40	31	14	50	4-1	0.68	Burbank, Calif.	Fullerton, Caiif.
29	Butler, Bill	L	L	3-12-47	6-2	205	Omaha	13	13	3	84	80	36	67	6-5	3.76	Hyattsville, Md.	Overland Park, Kan.
							KANSAS CITY	14	6	0	44	45	18	32	1-2	3.48		
43	Dal Canton, Bruce	R	R	6-15-42	6-2	205	KANSAS CITY	25	22	2	141	144	44	58	8-6	3.45	California, Pa.	Pittsburgh, Pa.
46	Demery, Art	R	R	1-30-50	5-10	172	San Jose	24	24	5	138	125	67	131	9-7	4.04	Bakersfield, Calif.	Wasco, Calif.
41	Drago, Dick	R	R	6-25-45	6-1	191	KANSAS CITY	35	34	15	241	251	46	109	17-11	2.99	Toledo, Ohio	Overland Park, Kan.
23	Fitzmorris, Al	S	R	3-21-46	6-2	185	KANSAS CITY	36	15	2	127	112	55	53	7-5	4.18	Buffalo, N.Y.	Overland Park, Kan.
32	Hedlund, Mike	R	R	8-11-46	6-1	185	KANSAS CITY	32	30	7	206	168	72	76	15-8	2.71	Dallas, Tex.	Arlington, Tex.
20	Montgomery, Monty	R	R	9- 1-46	6-3	205	Omaha	14	14	1	78	105	22	52	2-6	5.88	Albemarle, N.C.	Albemarle, N.C.
							Elmira	17	14	11	119	81	18	128	8-5	1.82		
							KANSAS CITY	3	2	0	21	16	3	12	3-0	2.14		
39	Murray, Chuck	R	R	11-29-44	6-1	185	Elmira	11	1	0	19	12	12	20	2-2	2.37	Seattle, Wash.	San Lorenzo, Calif.
							Omaha	20	8	6	82	63	30	85	7-4	2.41		
35	*Nelson, Roger	R	R	6- 7-44	6-3	205	Omaha	11	11	1	64	70	22	60	2-3	3.80	Altadena, Calif.	Shawnee Mission, Kan.
							KANSAS CITY	13	1	0	34	35	5	29	0-1	5.29		
25	Rooker, Jim	R	L	9-23-42	5-11	195	KANSAS CITY	20	7	1	54	59	24	31	2-7	5.33	Lakeview, Ore.	Overland Park, Kan.
							Omaha	6	6	2	46	52	13	38	2-3	2.74		
34	Splittorff, Paul	L	L	10- 8-46	6-3	205	Omaha	8	8	3	61	51	10	51	5-2	1.48	Evansville, Ind.	Blue Springs, Mo.
							KANSAS CITY	22	22	6	144	129	35	80	8-9	2.69		
28	Wright, Ken	R	R	9- 4-46	6-2	210	KANSAS CITY	21	12	1	78	66	47	56	3-6	3.69	Pensacola, Fla.	Pensacola, Fla.
							Omaha	4	4	1	26	21	5	23	2-0	2.42		

23—Fitzmorris, p
24—Lau, coach
25—Rooker, p
26—Otis, of
*27—Bunker, p
28—Wright, p
29—Butler, p
30—Hovley, of
31—McKeon, instructor
32—Hedlund, p
33—Oliver, of-1b
34—Splittorff, p
*35—Nelson, p
36—Abernathy, p
37—Patek, ss
39—Murray, p
*40—Busby, p
41—Drago, p
42—Sanserino, 3b-of
43—Dal Canton, p
44—Marshall, of
45—Haynes, 1b
46—Demery, p
47—Autry, p
48—Ortenzio, 1b
49—Angelini, p
*50—Burrows, c
*51—Harmon, c
59—Ferrick, instructor

No.	CATCHERS (6)	B	T	Birthdate	Hgt.	Wgt.	1971 Club	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT.	Birthplace	Residence
50	*Burrows, Bob	R	R	3-10-47	6-2	190	Elmira	64	200	15	49	69	13	2	1	26	0	.245	Victoria, B.C.	Victoria, B.C.
							San Jose	40	140	21	40	69	4	2	7	36	1	.286		
51	*Harmon, Tommy	L	R	12-16-48	5-11	180	Omaha	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-----	Lubbock, Tex.	Fort Worth, Tex.
							Elmira	55	200	24	52	67	11	2	0	19	0	.260		
8	Kirkpatrick, Ed (of)	L	R	10- 8-44	6-0	200	KANSAS CITY	120	365	46	80	121	12	1	9	46	3	.219	Spokane, Wash.	Overland Park, Kan.
6	Martinez, Buck	R	R	11- 7-48	5-11	190	KANSAS CITY	22	46	3	7	9	2	0	0	1	0	.152	Redding, Calif.	Kansas City, Mo.
							Omaha	75	269	34	77	117	23	1	5	39	0	.286		
12	May, Jerry	R	R	12-14-43	6-2	200	KANSAS CITY	71	218	16	55	75	13	2	1	24	0	.252	Staunton, Va.	Staunton, Va.
17	Paepke, Dennis (of)	R	R	4-17-45	6-0	200	KANSAS CITY	60	152	11	31	43	6	0	2	14	0	.204	Long Beach, Calif.	Kansas City, Mo.

No.	INFIELDERS (11)	B	T	Birthdate	Hgt.	Wgt.	1971 Club	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT.	Birthplace	Residence
15	Floyd, Bob	R	R	10-20-43	6-0	181	Omaha	69	263	30	70	84	12	1	0	16	2	.266	Hawthorne, Calif.	Kansas City, Mo.
							KANSAS CITY	31	66	8	10	13	3	0	0	2	0	.152		
45	Haynes, Dan (1b)	R	R	10-22-49	6-3	220	Elmira	48	180	25	47	84	7	0	10	40	1	.261	Atlanta, Ga.	East Point, Ga.
							Omaha	43	162	25	49	76	12	0	5	32	1	.302		
18	Hopkins, Gail (1b)	L	R	2-19-43	5-10	200	KANSAS CITY	103	295	35	82	127	16	1	9	47	3	.278	Tulsa, Okla.	Elmhurst, Ill.
19	Knoop, Bobby (2b)	R	R	10-18-38	6-1	180	KANSAS CITY	72	161	14	33	46	8	1	1	11	1	.205	Sioux City, Ia.	Yorba Linda, Calif.
7	Mayberry, John (1b)	L	L	2-18-50	6-3	220	Oklahoma City	64	222	50	72	124	10	3	12	40	2	.324	Detroit, Mich.	Detroit, Mich.
							Houston	46	137	16	25	48	0	1	7	14	0	.182		
48	Ortenzio, Frank (1b)	R	R	2-24-51	6-2	215	San Jose	132	472	99	143	271	22	5	32	103	2	.303	Fresno, Calif.	Fresno, Calif.
37	Patek, Fred (ss)	R	R	10- 9-44	5-4	140	KANSAS CITY	147	591	86	158	219	21	11	6	36	49	.267	Oklahoma City, Okla.	Blue Springs, Mo.
1	Rojas. Cookie (2b)	R	R	3- 6-39	5-10	170	KANSAS CITY	115	414	56	124	168	22	2	6	59	8	.300	Havana, Cuba	Miami, Fla.
42	Sanserino, Gary (3b-of)	R	R	2-18-48	6-0	180	Elmira	125	438	51	122	154	13	5	3	59	6	.279	Los Angeles, Calif.	Van Nuys, Calif.
10	Schaal, Paul (3b)	R	R	3- 3-43	5-11	185	KANSAS CITY	161	548	80	150	226	31	6	11	63	7	.274	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Mesa. Ariz.
14	Severson, Rich	R	R	1-18-45	6-0	170	KANSAS CITY	16	30	4	9	13	0	2	0	1	0	.300	Artesia, Calif.	Overland Park, Kan.
							Omaha	69	262	22	61	74	8	1	1	30	3	.233		

No.	OUTFIELDERS (7)	B	T	Birthdate	Hgt.	Wgt.	1971 Club	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	PCT.	Birthplace	Residence
30	Hovley, Steve	L	L	12-18-44	5-10	175	Oakland	24	27	3	3	5	2	0	0	3	2	.111	Ventura, Calif.	Ojai, Calif.
							Iowa	69	261	37	88	113	20	1	1	26	6	.337		
16	Keough, Joe	L	L	1- 7-46	6-0	185	KANSAS CITY	110	351	34	87	114	14	2	3	30	0	.248	Pomona, Calif.	Overland Park, Kan.
44	Marshall, Keith	R	R	7- 2-51	6-2	175	Elmira	129	470	65	123	154	15	2	4	33	14	.262	San Francisco, Calif.	Anaheim, Calif.
33	Oliver, Bob (1b)	R	R	2- 8-43	6-2	215	KANSAS CITY	128	373	35	91	131	12	2	8	52	0	.244	Shreveport, La.	Kansas City, Mo.
26	Otis, Amos	R	R	4-26-47	5-11	166	KANSAS CITY	147	555	80	167	246	26	4	15	79	52	.301	Mobile, Ala.	Portsmouth, Va.
9	Piniella, Lou	R	R	8-28-43	6-2	197	KANSAS CITY	126	448	43	125	165	21	5	3	51	5	.279	Tampa, Fla.	Overland Park, Kan.
5	Scheinblum, Richie	S	R	11- 5-42	6-0	180	Washington	27	49	5	7	10	3	0	0	4	0	.143	New York, N.Y.	Greenville, R.I.
							Denver	106	374	83	145	271	31	10	25	108	1	.388		

FINAL 1971 STATISTICS

Players Capitalized on Winter Roster

Batting

Player	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TBB-I	SO	Pct.	Slug Pct.
FLOYD	31	66	8	10	13	3	0	0	2	7-0	21	.152	.197
Harrison	49	143	9	31	41	4	0	2	21	11-2	19	.217	.287
HOPKINS	103	295	35	82	127	16	1	9	47	37-9	13	.278	.431
KEOUGH	110	351	34	87	114	14	2	3	30	35-5	26	.248	.325
KIRKPATRICK	120	365	46	80	121	12	1	9	46	48-8	60	.219	.332
KNOOP	72	161	14	33	46	8	1	1	11	15-1	36	.205	.286
MARTINEZ	22	46	3	7	9	2	0	0	1	5-0	9	.152	.196
MAY	71	218	16	55	75	13	2	1	24	27-8	37	.252	.344
OLIVER	128	373	35	91	131	12	2	8	52	14-3	88	.244	.351
OTIS	147	555	80	167	246	26	4	15	79	40-2	74	.301	.443
PAEPKE	60	152	11	31	43	6	0	2	14	8-1	29	.204	.283
PATEK	147	591	86	158	219	21	11	6	36	44-3	80	.267	.371
PINIELLA	126	448	43	125	165	21	5	3	51	21-4	43	.279	.368
ROJAS	115	414	56	124	168	22	2	6	59	39-3	35	.300	.406
Savage	19	29	2	5	5	0	0	0	1	3-0	6	.172	.172
SCHAAL	161	548	80	150	226	31	6	11	63	103-5	51	.274	.412
SEVERSON	16	30	4	9	13	0	2	0	1	3-0	5	.300	.433
Taylor	20	39	3	7	7	0	0	0	3	5-0	13	.179	.179
Valdespino	18	63	10	20	32	6	0	2	15	2-0	5	.317	.508
ABERNATHY	63	13	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0-0	7	.077	.077
Bunker	7	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1-0	5	.000	.000
BURGMEIER	68	20	2	5	7	2	0	0	0	1-0	7	.250	.350
BUTLER	14	12	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0-0	10	.083	.083
Clemons	10	7	4	2	7	0	1	1	1	1-0	1	.286	1.000
DAL CANTON	25	46	4	4	4	0	0	0	2	1-0	19	.087	.087
DRAGO	35	77	3	10	13	3	0	0	4	8-0	44	.130	.169
FITZMORRIS	36	44	6	11	12	1	0	0	3	0-0	16	.250	.273
HEDLUND	32	68	2	6	6	0	0	0	2	2-0	26	.088	.088
McCormick	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	.000	.000
MONTGOMERY	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1-0	3	.000	.000
Nelson	13	6	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	1-0	2	.333	.333
ROOKER	21	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2-0	4	.000	.000
SPLITTORFF	22	48	3	5	6	1	0	0	1	3-0	8	.104	.125
WRIGHT	21	22	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	1-0	10	.091	.091
York	53	17	1	2	6	1	0	1	3	1-0	7	.118	.353
Totals	161	5295	603	1323	1868	225	40	80	573	490-54	819	.250	.353
Opponents	161	5273	566	1301	1819	197	34	84	521	496-21	775	.247	.345

Game-Winning Hits: OTIS 14, ROJAS 11, SCHAAL 11, KIRKPATRICK 8, PINIELLA 8, HOPKINS 7, KEOUGH 5, OLIVER 4, Harrison 2, MAY 2, PAEPKE 2, PATEK 2, Valdespino 2, HEDLUND 2, FLOYD 1, KNOOP 1, DRAGO 1. ROYALS 83, Opponents 69.

Stolen Bases—Caught Stealing: OTIS 52-8, PATEK 49-14, ROJAS 8-3, SCHAAL 7-5, PINIELLA 5-3, HOPKINS 3-1, KIRKPATRICK 3-4, Savage 2-0, KNOOP 1-0, MARTINEZ 0-1, Taylor 0-1, KEOUGH 0-6. ROYALS 130-46, Opponents 62-49.

Sacrifices: PATEK 7, DRAGO 7, DAL CANTON 6, HEDLUND 5, KEOUGH 3, KNOOP 2, OTIS 2, FITZMORRIS 2, HOPKINS 1, KIRKPATRICK 1, MARTINEZ 1, OLIVER 1, ROJAS 1, ABERNATHY 1, Clemons 1, MONTGOMERY 1, ROOKER 1, SPLITTORFF 1, WRIGHT 1. ROYALS 45, Opponents 80.

Sacrifice Flies: OTIS 8, KIRKPATRICK 7, ROJAS 7, SCHAAL 6, OLIVER 5, Harrison 4, MAY 4, HOPKINS 2, KEOUGH 2, KNOOP 2, Taylor 2, MARTINEZ 1, PAEPKE 1, PATEK 1, BUTLER 1, FITZMORRIS 1. ROYALS 59, Opponents 40.

Hit By Pitch: OLIVER 5, PATEK 5, HOPKINS 4, KIRKPATRICK 2, OTIS 2, PINIELLA 2, ROJAS 2, SCHAAL 2, KEOUGH 1. ROYALS 25, Opponents 36.

Grounded Into Double Plays: OTIS 18, OLIVER 13, PINIELLA 12, ROJAS 12, KIRKPATRICK 11, KEOUGH 10, SCHAAL 9, HOPKINS 8, MAY 7, KNOOP 6, PAEPKE 6, PATEK 6, Valdespino 2, Harrison 1, MARTINEZ 1, Taylor 1, DRAGO 1, HEDLUND 1, Savage 1, SPLITTORFF 1. ROYALS 128.

1971 ALL-OPPONENT TEAM

Pos.	Player	Opponent
RHP	Jim Hunter	Oakland
LHP	Vida Blue	Oakland
C	Thurman Munson	New York
1B	Norm Cash	Detroit
2B	Dave Johnson	Baltimore
3B	Bill Melton	Chicago
SS	Leo Cardenas	Minnesota
LF	Don Buford	Baltimore
CF	Bobby Murcer	New York
RF	Tony Oliva	Minnesota

Pitching

Pitcher	G	ST	CG	IP	H	R	ER	TBB-I	SO	HR	W	L	S	ERA
ABERNATHY	63	0	0	81	60	28	23	50-4	55	3	4	6	23	2.56
Bunker	7	6	0	32.1	35	19	18	6-0	15	7	2	3	0	5.06
BURGMEIER	67	0	0	88.1	71	23	17	30-4	44	3	9	7	17	1.74
BUTLER	14	6	0	44.1	45	19	17	18-0	32	6	1	2	0	3.48
Clemons	10	3	0	24	26	16	11	12-0	20	2	1	0	0	4.13
DAL CANTON	25	22	2	141.1	144	63	54	44-0	58	8	8	6	0	3.45
DRAGO	35	34	15	241.1	251	84	80	46-1	109	14	17	11	0	2.99
FITZMORRIS	36	15	2	127.1	112	61	59	55-2	53	6	7	5	0	4.18
HEDLUND	32	30	7	205.2	168	68	62	72-1	76	15	15	8	0	2.71
McCormick	4	1	0	9.2	14	10	10	5-0	2	0	0	0	0	9.31
MONTGOMERY	3	2	0	21.1	16	5	5	3-0	12	0	3	0	0	2.14
Nelson	13	1	0	34	35	20	20	5-0	29	1	0	1	0	5.29
ROOKER	20	7	1	54	59	35	32	24-1	31	2	2	7	0	5.33
SPLITTORFF	22	22	6	144.1	129	49	43	35-1	80	4	8	9	0	2.69
WRIGHT	21	12	1	78	66	34	32	47-0	56	6	3	6	1	3.69
York	53	0	0	93.1	70	32	30	44-7	103	7	5	5	3	2.90
Totals	161	161	34	1420.1	1301	566	513	496-21	775	84	85	76	44	3.25
Opponents	161	161	44	1411.2	1323	603	554	490-54	819	80	76	85	24	3.53

Shutouts: DRAGO 4, SPLITTORFF 3, FITZMORRIS 1, ROOKER 1, HEDLUND 1, WRIGHT 1. Combined Shutouts: DAL CANTON-ABERNATHY, HEDLUND-ABERNATHY, WRIGHT-BURGMEIER, SPLITTORFF-MONTGOMERY. ROYALS 15, Opponents 18.

Wild Pitches: FITZMORRIS 15, DRAGO 4, ROOKER 4, York 4, DAL CANTON 3, WRIGHT 3, BURGMEIER 2, Clemons 2, HEDLUND 2, ABERNATHY 1, SPLITTORFF 1. ROYALS 41, Opponents 41.

Hit Batsmen: DRAGO 9, BURGMEIER 7, ABERNATHY 6, SPLITTORFF 4, WRIGHT 3, York 3, Clemons 1, FITZMORRIS 1, HEDLUND 1, ROOKER 1. ROYALS 36, Opponents 25.

BALKS: FITZMORRIS 1. ROYALS 1, Opponents 6.

RUNS BATTED IN ON ROAD

Players	Balt.	Bos.	Cal.	Chi.	Clev.	Det.	Mil.	Minn.	N.Y.	Oak.	Wash.	Totals
Floyd	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Hopkins	2	0	3	4	0	4	2	2	4	1	3	25
Keough	0	2	3	0	0	1	4	2	1	0	1	14
Kirkpatrick	0	2	1	7	1	0	1	2	2	2	0	18
Knoop	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	6
Martinez	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
May	0	2	0	0	2	0	2	2	0	0	2	10
Oliver	0	3	7	2	0	3	0	4	1	6	0	26
Otis	5	8	8	2	4	3	3	6	2	2	2	45
Paepke	0	0	1	2	2	1	0	3	0	0	2	11
Patek	0	1	0	2	3	6	1	3	4	0	0	20
Piniella	0	5	2	1	1	1	1	1	0	6	1	19
Rojas	0	5	7	4	5	1	1	5	4	1	6	39
Schaal	1	7	5	3	1	2	3	6	3	5	2	38

PINCH HITTING

TEAM

	G	AB	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Kansas City	175	152	35	4	26	.230

INDIVIDUAL

	G	AB	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Floyd	3	3	1	0	0	.333
Harrison	12	11	1	1	2	.091
Hopkins	22	17	5	1	5	.294
Keough	12	11	4	0	1	.364
Kirkpatrick	12	9	5	1	4	.556
Knoop	20	16	3	0	4	.188
Martinez	1	1	0	0	0	.000
May	3	2	0	0	0	.000
Oliver	23	22	5	1	3	.227
Otis	5	4	0	0	0	.000
Paepke	18	16	3	0	2	.188
Patek	1	1	0	0	0	.000
Piniella	13	13	3	0	1	.231
Rojas	3	2	0	0	0	.000
Savage	12	10	1	0	0	.100
Severson	3	3	1	0	0	.333
Taylor	9	7	1	0	1	.143
Valdespino	3	4	2	0	3	.500

Fielding

Player	Team	Pos.	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP	Pct.
Haynes	Elmira	1b	47	443	22	5	470	30	.989
	Omaha	1b	42	359	21	3	383	46	.992
Hopkins	KANSAS CITY	1b	83	669	57	7	733	76	.990
Mayberry	Houston	1b	37	317	15	1	333	20	.997
	Oklahoma City	1b	62	445	39	4	488	37	.992
Oliver	KANSAS CITY	1b	68	470	31	7	508	52	.986
Ortenzio	San Jose	1b	126	838	63	18	919	69	.980
Sanserino	Elmira	1b	3	11	5	0	16	0	1.000
Floyd	Omaha	2b	22	57	60	5	122	12	.959
	KANSAS CITY	2b	8	13	13	0	26	3	1.000
Knoop	KANSAS CITY	2b	52	89	120	7	216	31	.968
Rojas	KANSAS CITY	2b	111	252	293	5	550	76	#.991
Sanserino	Elmira	2b	5	6	4	0	10	1	1.000
Severson	KANSAS CITY	2b	6	7	20	0	27	7	1.000
	Omaha	2b	4	12	13	0	25	3	1.000
Floyd	KANSAS CITY	3b	1	0	0	0	0	0	—
Knoop	KANSAS CITY	3b	1	0	0	0	0	0	—
Oliver	KANSAS CITY	3b	2	2	3	1	6	0	.833
Sanserino	Elmira	3b	98	60	181	15	256	20	.941
Schaal	KANSAS CITY	3b	#161	107	335	#28	470	31	.940
Severson	KANSAS CITY	3b	1	0	0	0	0	0	—
Floyd	Omaha	ss	47	78	136	8	222	28	.964
	KANSAS CITY	ss	15	21	43	2	66	11	.970
Patek	KANSAS CITY	ss	147	#301	459	25	#785	#107	.968
Rojas	KANSAS CITY	ss	2	2	0	0	2	0	1.000
Sanserino	Elmira	ss	6	1	13	0	14	1	1.000
Severson	KANSAS CITY	ss	6	8	15	2	25	4	.920
	Omaha	ss	62	83	207	8	298	52	.973
Hovley	Oakland	of	11	15	1	0	16	0	1.000
	Iowa	of	64	143	7	5	155	4	.955
Keough	KANSAS CITY	of	100	164	4	3	171	1	.982
Kirkpatrick	KANSAS CITY	of	61	118	2	1	121	1	.992
Marshall	Elmira	of	128	256	11	4	271	1	.985
Oliver	KANSAS CITY	of	48	94	3	1	98	0	.990
Otis	KANSAS CITY	of	144	#404	10	4	#418	*4	.990
Paepke	KANSAS CITY	of	17	21	0	2	23	0	.913
Piniella	KANSAS CITY	of	115	201	6	3	210	2	.986
Rojas	KANSAS CITY	of	1	0	0	0	0	0	—
Sanserino	Elmira	of	20	49	4	6	59	2	.898
Scheinblum	Washington	of	13	23	5	2	30	1	.933
	Denver	of	102	152	10	8	170	1	.953
Abernathy	KANSAS CITY	p	63	8	20	2	30	0	.933
Angelini	Elmira	p	26	1	15	0	16	0	1.000
Autry	Waterloo	p	3	0	7	1	8	0	.875
	San Jose	p	22	3	16	5	24	0	.792
Burgmeier	KANSAS CITY	p	67	7	28	1	36	3	.972
Butler	Omaha	p	13	1	9	0	10	0	1.000
	KANSAS CITY	p	14	0	7	1	8	0	.875
Dal Canton	KANSAS CITY	p	25	11	16	2	29	0	.931
Demery	San Jose	p	24	6	20	2	28	0	.929
Drago	KANSAS CITY	p	35	7	42	2	51	#9	.961
Fitzmorris	KANSAS CITY	p	36	15	25	2	42	4	.952
Hedlund	KANSAS CITY	p	32	16	47	2	65	5	.969
Montgomery	Omaha	p	14	3	9	0	12	0	1.000
	Elmira	p	17	8	13	1	22	1	.955
	KANSAS CITY	p	3	2	3	0	5	0	1.000
Murray	Elmira	p	11	2	1	2	5	0	.600
	Omaha	p	20	2	12	1	15	0	.938
Rooker	KANSAS CITY	p	20	1	5	1	7	1	.857
	Omaha	p	6	1	7	0	8	1	1.000
Splittorff	Omaha	p	8	3	11	0	14	1	1.000
	KANSAS CITY	p	22	7	32	2	41	3	.951
Wright	KANSAS CITY	p	21	1	16	1	18	2	.944
	Omaha	p	4	0	3	0	3	0	1.000

Player	Team	Pos.	G	PO	A	E	TC	PB	DP	Pct.
Kirkpatrick	KANSAS CITY	c	59	294	28	7	329	4	5	.979
Martinez	Omaha	c	72	502	37	8	547	3	3	.985
	KANSAS CITY	c	21	84	6	3	93	2	0	.968
May	KANSAS CITY	c	71	314	38	1	353	5	6	.997
Paepke	KANSAS CITY	c	32	139	15	1	155	0	1	.994

Led league. *Tied for league lead.

PLAYER TRANSACTIONS

OPENING DAY ROSTER (APRIL 6): Pitchers—Ted Abernathy, Wally Bunker, Tom Burgmeier, Bruce Dal Canton, Dick Drago, Al Fitzmorris, Mike Hedlund, Jim Rooker, Ken Wright, Jim York. Catchers—Ed Kirkpatrick, Buck Martinez, Jerry May. Infielders—Gail Hopkins, Bobby Knoop, Bob Oliver, Fred Patek, Cookie Rojas, Rich Severson, Paul Schaal. Outfielders—Joe Keough, Amos Otis, Dennis Paepke, Lou Piniella, Carl Taylor.

Date		Player and Position	Transaction
April	15	Mike McCormick, P	Signed as free agent
	15	Buck Martinez, C	Optioned to Omaha
May	5	Lou Piniella, OF	Placed on disabled list—(fractured right thumb)
	11	Ted Savage, OF	Obtained from Milwaukee (for Omaha infielder Tommy Matchick)
	12	Carl Taylor, OF	Suspended
	19	Carl Taylor, OF	Reinstated
	25	Mike McCormick, P	Released
	29	Paul Splittorff, P	Recalled from Omaha
June	7	Lou Piniella, OF	Reinstated from disabled list
	7	Chuck Harrison, 1B	Purchased from Omaha
	7	Wally Bunker, P	Optioned to Omaha
	7	Carl Taylor, OF	Assigned to Omaha
	23	Buck Martinez, C	Recalled from Omaha
	23	Jerry May, C	Placed on 15-day disabled list—(fractured right index finger)
	24	Ken Wright, P	Placed on disabled list—(shoulder ailment)
	24	Bill Butler, P	Recalled from Omaha
	24	Roger Nelson, P	Recalled from Omaha
	24	Rich Severson, INF	Optioned to Omaha
	28	Bob Floyd, INF	Recalled from Omaha
	28	Buck Martinez, C	Optioned to Omaha
July	4	Ted Savage, OF	Placed on disabled list—(broken left hand)
	8	Jerry May, C	Reinstated from disabled list
	15	Ken Wright, P	Reinstated from disabled list and optioned to Omaha
Aug.	3	Ken Wright, P	Recalled from Omaha
	3	Jim Rooker, P	Optioned to Omaha
	4	Bruce Dal Canton, P	Placed on disabled list—(shoulder ailment)
	6	Jerry May, C	Placed on 15-day disabled list—(sprained left hand)
	7	Lance Clemons, P	Recalled from Omaha
	7	Buck Martinez, C	Recalled from Omaha
	9	Ted Savage, OF	Reinstated from disabled list, assigned to Omaha
	22	Cookie Rojas, 2B	Placed on disabled list—(fractured ankle)
	25	Jerry May, C	Reinstated from disabled list
Sept.	1	Bruce Dal Canton, P	Reinstated from disabled list
	1	Sandy Valdespino, OF	Purchased from Omaha
	6	Rich Severson, INF	Recalled from Omaha
	13	Monty Montgomery, P	Recalled from Elmira
Oct.	21	Norm Angelini, P	Purchased from Elmira
		Al Autry, P	Purchased from San Jose
		Art Demery, P	Purchased from San Jose
		Chuck Murray, P	Purchased from Omaha
		Dan Haynes, 1B	Purchased from Omaha
		Frank Ortenzio, 1B	Purchased from San Jose
		Gary Sanserino, 3B-OF	Purchased from Elmira
		Keith Marshall, OF	Purchased from Elmira
		Wally Bunker, P	Assigned to Omaha
		Jerry Cram, P	Assigned to Omaha
		Chuck Harrison, 1B	Assigned to Omaha
		John Matias, OF	Assigned to Omaha
		Scott Northey, OF	Assigned to Omaha
		Bill Sorrell, OF	Assigned to Omaha
		Sandy Valdespino, OF	Assigned to Omaha
	22	Richie Scheinblum, OF	Purchased from Denver
Nov.	20	Roger Nelson, P	Assigned to Omaha
	29	Steve Hovley, OF	Drafted from Iowa (Oakland)
Dec.	2	John Mayberry, 1B	Obtained from Houston
	2	Jim York, P	Traded to Houston for Mayberry, Dave Grangaard
	2	Lance Clemons, P	Traded to Houston for Mayberry, Dave Grangaard

SPECIAL EVENTS IN 1972

(Others will be added)

Event	Day	Date	Opponent
Cushion Day	Sun.	April 30	Cleveland
Bat Day	Sun.	May 21	Oakland
Teen Night	Fri.	June 2	Boston
Cap Day	Sun.	June 11	New York
Camera Day	Sat.	June 24	Minnesota
Fireworks Show	Tues.	July 4	Detroit
Ball Day	Sun.	July 23	Baltimore
Team Picture Day	Sat.	August 5	California
Camper's Weekend	——	August 18-20	Milwaukee

BATTING VS. EACH OPPONENT

	FLOYD							HOPKINS						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Season	31	66	8	10	0	2	.152	103	295	35	82	9	47	.278
Home	12	21	5	3	0	1	.143	54	158	15	43	4	22	.272
Away	19	45	3	7	0	1	.156	49	137	20	39	5	25	.285
vs. Righthanders	—	47	—	8	0	2	.170	—	253	—	69	9	36	.273
vs. Lefthanders	—	19	—	2	0	0	.105	—	42	—	13	0	11	.310
vs. Western Div.	26	62	8	10	0	2	.161	63	182	16	53	6	27	.291
vs. California	7	15	3	3	0	1	.200	10	21	1	4	0	4	.190
Chicago	5	11	0	2	0	0	.182	11	36	4	10	2	4	.278
Milwaukee	5	7	4	2	0	1	.286	14	47	4	17	2	8	.362
Minnesota	6	20	1	2	0	0	.100	16	42	3	14	1	6	.333
Oakland	3	9	0	1	0	0	.111	12	36	4	8	1	5	.222
vs. Eastern Div.	5	4	0	0	0	0	.000	40	113	19	29	3	20	.257
vs. Baltimore	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	22	2	7	0	4	.318
Boston	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	14	3	3	0	1	.214
Cleveland	2	3	0	0	0	0	.000	7	17	5	6	0	0	.353
Detroit	1	1	0	0	0	0	.000	6	16	3	7	1	5	.438
New York	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	15	1	2	1	4	.133
Washington	2	0	0	0	0	0	.000	9	29	5	4	1	6	.138
First Half	7	13	1	2	0	1	.154	42	94	8	26	4	18	.277
Second Half	24	53	7	8	0	1	.151	61	201	27	56	5	29	.279
In April	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	10	0	1	0	0	.100
May	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	38	3	11	3	11	.289
June	3	10	0	2	0	0	.200	12	25	3	7	1	6	.280
July	7	7	1	0	0	1	.000	25	70	11	25	0	4	.357
August	2	0	0	0	0	0	.000	23	80	11	19	2	16	.238
September	19	49	7	8	0	1	.163	21	72	7	19	3	10	.264
Pinch Hitting	3	3	—	1	0	0	.333	22	17	—	5	1	5	.294
Longest Streak	4 games							6 games						

	KEOUGH							KIRKPATRICK						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Season	110	351	34	87	3	30	.248	120	365	46	80	9	46	.219
Home	54	165	14	39	0	16	.236	61	180	24	37	7	28	.206
Away	56	186	20	48	3	14	.258	59	185	22	43	2	18	.232
vs. Righthanders	—	323	—	81	3	27	.251	—	291	—	71	8	44	.244
vs. Lefthanders	—	28	—	6	0	3	.214	—	74	—	9	1	2	.122
vs. Western Div.	63	199	15	45	2	15	.226	74	193	21	40	4	22	.207
vs. California	11	31	3	6	0	3	.194	10	36	5	10	1	3	.278
Chicago	8	29	2	6	0	1	.207	12	34	4	8	0	8	.235
Milwaukee	15	53	3	15	1	5	.283	14	41	4	5	2	4	.122
Minnesota	15	45	3	9	1	5	.200	13	38	3	8	0	2	.211
Oakland	14	41	4	9	0	1	.220	15	44	5	9	1	5	.205
vs. Eastern Div.	47	152	19	42	1	15	.276	56	172	25	40	5	24	.233
vs. Baltimore	6	19	3	7	0	1	.368	9	26	1	5	0	3	.192
Boston	10	35	2	8	0	4	.229	9	24	6	8	1	5	.333
Cleveland	7	19	3	6	0	2	.316	11	37	8	8	3	8	.216
Detroit	5	18	3	5	0	1	.278	12	40	5	9	0	2	.225
New York	8	20	2	6	0	2	.300	6	18	3	5	1	4	.278
Washington	11	41	6	10	1	5	.244	9	27	2	5	0	2	.185
First Half	58	178	18	42	1	14	.236	68	227	27	54	5	35	.238
Second Half	52	173	16	45	2	16	.260	52	138	19	26	4	11	.188
In April	18	59	6	13	0	4	.220	19	64	10	17	2	12	.266
May	16	51	8	11	1	2	.216	21	66	6	16	0	8	.242
June	18	49	2	11	0	5	.224	20	71	10	19	3	13	.268
July	17	49	3	17	0	6	.347	27	79	8	10	2	5	.127
August	24	88	12	27	1	8	.307	17	42	6	7	2	4	.167
September	17	55	3	8	1	5	.145	16	43	6	11	0	4	.256
Pinch Hitting	12	11	—	4	0	1	.364	12	9	—	5	1	4	.556
Longest Streak	6 games							9 games (twice)						

BIG DAYS AT BAT

6-HIT GAMES

Player	Date	Opponent
Bob Oliver	May 4, 1969	at California

5-HIT GAMES

Player	Date	Opponent
Amos Otis	May 1, 1970	Cleveland

4-HIT GAMES

(Current Royals)

Lou Piniella 6, Amos Otis 4, Fred Patek 3, Cookie Rojas 3, Ed Kirkpatrick 2, Bob Oliver 2, Bob Floyd 1, Gail Hopkins 1, Joe Keough 1, Paul Schaal 1, Rich Severson 1.

	KNOOP							MARTINEZ						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Season	72	161	14	33	1	11	.205	22	46	3	7	0	1	.152
Home	39	93	11	19	0	5	.204	10	26	3	5	0	0	.192
Away	33	68	3	14	1	6	.206	12	20	0	2	0	1	.100
vs. Righthanders	—	107	—	18	0	7	.168	—	29	—	5	0	0	.172
vs. Lefthanders	—	54	—	15	1	4	.278	—	17	—	2	0	1	.118
vs. Western Div.	48	110	8	22	0	8	.200	18	37	2	5	0	1	.135
vs. California	8	22	0	2	0	0	.091	2	2	0	0	0	1	.000
Chicago	9	18	3	4	0	1	.222	4	9	0	1	0	0	.111
Milwaukee	11	31	2	5	0	0	.161	4	9	2	1	0	0	.111
Minnesota	10	23	2	6	0	1	.261	3	6	0	1	0	0	.167
Oakland	10	16	1	5	0	6	.313	5	11	0	2	0	0	.182
vs. Eastern Div.	24	51	6	11	1	3	.216	4	9	1	2	0	0	.222
vs. Baltimore	3	3	0	0	0	0	.000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Boston	4	13	1	1	0	0	.077	2	5	1	2	0	0	.400
Cleveland	1	3	1	2	1	1	.667	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Detroit	5	1	0	0	0	0	.000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
New York	7	20	2	6	0	1	.300	1	2	0	0	0	0	.000
Washington	4	11	2	2	0	1	.182	1	2	0	0	0	0	.000
First Half	24	35	0	6	0	6	.171	5	9	0	1	0	1	.111
Second Half	48	126	14	27	1	5	.214	17	37	3	6	0	0	.162
In April	5	4	0	1	0	2	.250	3	4	0	1	0	1	.250
May	8	7	0	2	0	2	.286	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
June	7	13	0	3	0	2	.231	2	5	0	0	0	0	.000
July	12	22	2	4	1	1	.182	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
August	17	49	6	12	0	2	.245	4	9	1	2	0	0	.222
September	23	66	6	11	0	2	.167	13	28	2	4	0	0	.143
Pinch Hitting	20	16	—	3	0	4	.188	1	1	—	0	0	0	.000
Longest Streak			5 games							2 games (twice)				

	MAY							OLIVER						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Season	71	218	16	55	1	24	.252	128	373	35	91	8	52	.244
Home	40	116	8	30	1	14	.259	61	175	12	42	1	26	.240
Away	31	102	8	25	0	10	.245	67	198	23	49	7	26	.247
vs. Righthanders	—	140	—	34	1	17	.243	—	193	—	50	5	35	.259
vs. Lefthanders	—	78	—	21	0	7	.269	—	180	—	41	3	17	.228
vs. Western Div.	35	104	6	23	0	8	.221	70	196	21	47	8	29	.240
vs. California	6	17	1	5	0	2	.294	16	53	6	13	1	8	.245
Chicago	9	31	2	8	0	0	.258	14	42	3	10	1	2	.238
Milwaukee	8	19	0	4	0	2	.211	14	36	0	5	0	3	.139
Minnesota	6	21	1	2	0	2	.095	13	32	5	11	1	7	.344
Oakland	6	16	2	4	0	2	.250	13	33	7	8	5	9	.242
vs. Eastern Div.	36	114	10	32	1	16	.281	58	177	14	44	0	23	.249
vs. Baltimore	6	19	0	4	0	0	.211	10	24	1	2	0	2	.083
Boston	7	21	2	5	0	3	.238	9	29	3	9	0	7	.310
Cleveland	7	24	2	6	1	8	.250	10	24	3	6	0	0	.250
Detroit	4	11	1	3	0	3	.273	11	46	5	11	0	4	.239
New York	9	29	4	10	0	0	.345	10	31	2	9	0	6	.290
Washington	3	10	1	4	0	2	.400	8	23	0	7	0	4	.304
First Half	45	138	12	37	1	17	.268	68	218	22	52	4	18	.239
Second Half	26	80	4	18	0	7	.225	60	155	13	39	4	34	.252
In April	9	26	2	8	1	9	.308	22	85	9	21	3	10	.247
May	17	51	3	13	0	5	.255	20	61	7	15	0	3	.246
June	18	58	7	15	0	3	.259	19	56	6	12	1	5	.214
July	14	47	2	9	0	5	.191	23	52	3	11	0	1	.212
August	6	16	1	6	0	2	.375	22	55	2	20	1	19	.364
September	7	20	1	4	0	0	.200	22	64	8	12	3	14	.188
Pinch Hitting	3	2	—	0	0	0	.000	23	22	—	5	1	3	.227
Longest Streak			5 games							8 games				

LONG GAMES

The Royals have played in 2 17-inning games, both similar in at least 2 respects. Both were played in Kansas City and both were won by the Royals, 4-3. The first came on the Royals second league game on April 9, 1969 against the Minnesota Twins. The other was against the Cleveland Indians on May 2, 1970.

Innings	Date	Opponent	Score KC—Opp.
17	April 9, 1969	Minnesota	4-3
17	May 2, 1970	Cleveland	4-3
15	May 30, 1969 (2nd)	New York	4-5
13	June 16, 1969 (1st)	Oakland	5-7
13	April 19, 1970	at California	4-1
13	July 22, 1970	Baltimore	3-4
13	September 17, 1970	at Milwaukee	3-4
13	April 18, 1971 (2nd)	at Milwaukee	2-3
13	August 24, 1971	Boston	5-4

	OTIS							PAEPKE						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Season	147	555	80	167	15	79	.301	60	152	11	31	2	14	.204
Home	72	262	34	76	3	34	.290	24	54	6	15	0	3	.278
Away	75	293	46	91	12	45	.311	36	98	5	16	2	11	.163
vs. Righthanders	—	362	—	107	12	48	.296	—	60	—	14	1	8	.233
vs. Lefthanders	—	193	—	60	3	31	.311	—	92	—	17	1	6	.185
vs. Western Div.	84	312	41	97	7	43	.311	33	77	7	17	1	8	.221
vs. California	18	75	13	22	2	10	.293	7	18	1	3	0	3	.167
Chicago	18	64	7	18	1	9	.281	5	13	1	4	1	2	.308
Milwaukee	17	59	9	26	3	7	.441	4	7	1	2	0	0	.286
Minnesota	15	54	6	16	0	10	.296	9	23	1	3	0	3	.130
Oakland	16	60	6	15	1	7	.250	8	16	3	5	0	0	.313
vs. Eastern Div.	63	243	39	70	8	36	.288	27	75	4	14	1	6	.187
vs. Baltimore	11	42	7	16	1	6	.381	4	9	0	1	0	0	.111
Boston	11	39	10	9	3	12	.231	4	13	0	1	0	0	.077
Cleveland	7	26	5	7	2	4	.269	6	20	2	3	0	2	.150
Detroit	12	51	7	14	1	6	.275	5	14	2	5	1	2	.357
New York	12	45	6	12	1	5	.267	3	7	0	0	0	0	.000
Washington	10	40	4	12	0	3	.300	5	12	0	4	0	2	.333
First Half	78	309	49	97	14	47	.314	30	66	5	16	1	6	.242
Second Half	69	246	31	70	1	32	.285	30	86	6	15	1	8	.174
In April	19	75	10	22	3	7	.293	10	22	1	6	0	3	.273
May	23	94	17	28	6	21	.298	12	26	4	7	1	2	.269
June	27	105	17	34	3	11	.324	6	14	0	2	0	1	.143
July	27	106	14	35	3	17	.330	9	26	3	5	1	3	.192
August	27	96	12	25	0	13	.260	13	38	1	6	0	2	.158
September	24	79	10	23	0	10	.291	10	26	2	5	0	3	.192
Pinch Hitting	5	4	—	0	0	0	.000	18	16	—	3	0	2	.188
Longest Streak	12 games							2 games (7 times)						

	PATEK							PINIELLA						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Season	147	591	86	158	6	36	.267	126	448	43	125	3	51	.279
Home	76	304	44	87	1	16	.286	66	231	21	65	2	32	.281
Away	71	287	42	71	5	20	.247	60	217	22	60	1	19	.276
vs. Righthanders	—	396	—	107	4	25	.270	—	282	—	71	0	25	.252
vs. Lefthanders	—	195	—	51	2	11	.262	—	166	—	54	3	26	.325
vs. Western Div.	76	306	40	72	2	15	.235	73	253	19	71	0	19	.281
vs. California	13	53	5	14	0	1	.264	18	71	7	20	0	5	.282
Chicago	16	66	12	13	1	3	.197	12	41	1	9	0	1	.220
Milwaukee	16	62	7	11	0	4	.177	14	49	2	12	0	2	.245
Minnesota	16	68	9	16	1	4	.235	16	50	5	16	0	4	.320
Oakland	15	57	7	18	0	3	.316	13	42	4	14	0	7	.333
vs. Eastern Div.	71	285	46	86	4	21	.302	53	195	24	54	3	32	.277
vs. Baltimore	11	43	3	11	0	2	.256	8	27	5	7	1	5	.259
Boston	12	51	14	15	1	1	.294	7	28	3	8	1	7	.286
Cleveland	12	46	5	8	1	6	.174	10	37	1	9	0	7	.243
Detroit	12	49	9	15	2	7	.306	9	36	6	12	1	7	.333
New York	12	47	5	17	0	4	.362	9	33	4	9	0	1	.273
Washington	12	49	10	20	0	1	.408	10	34	5	9	0	5	.265
First Half	74	303	37	78	1	17	.257	53	191	16	47	0	17	.246
Second Half	73	288	49	80	5	19	.278	72	257	27	78	3	34	.304
In April	22	95	10	24	0	6	.253	21	79	10	16	0	8	.203
May	22	90	10	21	0	4	.233	3	9	1	4	0	2	.444
June	22	87	15	27	1	7	.310	20	69	5	19	0	6	.275
July	29	110	18	29	4	11	.264	30	111	9	32	2	15	.288
August	30	126	23	44	1	2	.349	30	117	12	32	1	15	.274
September	22	83	10	13	0	6	.157	22	63	6	22	0	5	.349
Pinch Hitting	1	1	—	0	0	0	.000	13	13	—	3	0	1	.231
Longest Streak	11 games							18 games						

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Angelini (An-ja-LEE-nee)
Autry (AW-tree)
Burgmeier (BURG-my-er)
Busby (BUZZ-bee)
Demery (DIM-a-ree)
Drago (DRAY-go)
Keough (KEE-oh)
Knoop (k-NOPP)
Martinez (Mar-TEEN-iz)
Ortenzio (Or-TIN-zio)
Paepke (PAP-ke)
Patek (PAH-tek)
Piniella (Pin-ELLA)
Rojas (ROW-hoss)
Sanserino (San-sa-REE-no)
Scheinblum (SHINE-bloom)
Severson (SEE-ver-son)
Splittorff (SPLIT-torff)

	ROJAS							SCHAAL						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Season	115	414	56	124	6	59	.300	161	548	80	150	11	63	.274
Home	55	187	28	55	0	20	.294	81	274	43	78	2	25	.285
Away	60	227	28	69	6	39	.304	80	274	37	72	9	38	.263
vs. Righthanders	–	270	–	81	3	34	.300	–	374	–	98	9	49	.262
vs. Lefthanders	–	144	–	43	3	25	.299	–	174	–	52	2	14	.299
vs. Western Div.	54	188	24	64	3	24	.340	90	302	47	87	9	38	.288
vs. California	13	47	8	21	0	10	.447	18	60	14	24	0	8	.400
Chicago	11	34	3	9	1	5	.265	18	65	4	19	1	5	.292
Milwaukee	9	30	2	7	0	1	.233	18	58	9	17	2	7	.293
Minnesota	7	25	5	10	1	5	.400	18	55	11	14	2	10	.255
Oakland	14	52	6	17	1	3	.327	18	64	9	13	4	8	.203
vs. Eastern Div.	61	226	32	60	3	35	.265	71	246	33	63	2	25	.256
vs. Baltimore	11	41	6	13	0	6	.317	11	36	6	11	0	3	.306
Boston	9	37	6	7	1	8	.189	12	47	9	16	1	9	.340
Cleveland	12	42	7	11	0	5	.262	12	43	5	8	0	2	.186
Detroit	12	50	6	14	0	4	.280	12	42	3	12	0	5	.286
New York	7	24	3	5	2	5	.208	12	40	6	7	1	4	.175
Washington	10	32	4	10	0	7	.313	12	38	4	9	0	2	.237
First Half	77	280	38	87	5	37	.311	81	274	48	75	5	28	.274
Second Half	38	134	18	37	1	22	.276	80	274	32	75	6	35	.274
In April	22	86	13	27	1	10	.314	22	71	13	24	1	7	.338
May	23	85	11	27	1	10	.318	23	80	12	20	2	11	.250
June	26	94	13	30	3	15	.319	27	91	18	26	2	8	.286
July	28	91	11	27	1	17	.297	30	111	13	23	1	10	.207
August	18	58	8	13	0	7	.224	30	96	12	25	1	12	.260
September	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	29	99	12	32	4	15	.323
Pinch Hitting	3	2	–	0	0	0	.000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Longest Streak				11 games							9 games (twice)			

	SEVERSON							MAYBERRY						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Season	16	30	4	9	0	1	.300	46	137	16	25	7	14	.182
Home	9	18	3	8	0	1	.444	24	67	7	10	1	4	.149
Away	7	12	1	1	0	0	.083	22	70	9	15	6	10	.214
vs. Righthanders	–	26	–	8	0	1	.308	–	102	–	17	5	10	.167
vs. Lefthanders	–	4	–	1	0	0	.250	–	35	–	8	2	4	.229
vs. Western Div.	13	27	3	8	0	1	.296	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
vs. California	3	3	1	0	0	0	.000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Chicago	2	4	0	1	0	0	.250	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Milwaukee	1	2	0	0	0	0	.000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Minnesota	4	13	2	7	0	1	.538	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Oakland	3	5	0	0	0	0	.000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
vs. Eastern Div.	3	3	1	1	0	0	.333	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
vs. Baltimore	1	1	0	0	0	0	.000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
New York	2	2	1	1	0	0	.500	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
First Half	9	12	2	2	0	0	.167	25	62	8	12	3	5	.200
Second Half	7	18	2	7	0	1	.389	21	75	8	13	4	9	.173
In April	1	1	0	0	0	0	.000	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
May	4	6	0	1	0	0	.167	10	36	6	6	2	3	.167
June	4	5	2	1	0	0	.200	14	25	2	6	1	2	.261
July	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	0	0	0	0	.000
September	7	18	2	7	0	1	.389	21	75	8	13	4	9	.194
Pinch Hitting	3	3	–	1	0	0	.333	10	10	–	2	0	0	.200
Longest Streak				3 games							5 games			

Player and Pitcher Of-The-Month Awards

Month	Player	Pitcher
September, 1969	Ed Kirkpatrick	Wally Bunker
April, 1970	Amos Otis-Bob Oliver	Bill Butler
May, 1970	Joe Keough	Al Fitzmorris
June, 1970	Amos Otis	Dick Drago
July, 1970	Bob Oliver	Ted Abernathy
August, 1970	Paul Schaal	Bob Johnson
September, 1970	Lou Piniella	Bob Johnson
April, 1971	Cookie Rojas	Dick Drago
May, 1971	Amos Otis	Bruce Dal Canton
June, 1971	Fred Patek	Paul Splittorff
July, 1971	Cookie Rojas	Dick Drago
August, 1971	Fred Patek	Mike Hedlund
September, 1971	Paul Schaal	Tom Burgmeier

	HOVLEY							SCHEINBLUM						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Season	24	27	3	3	0	3	.111	27	49	5	7	0	4	.143
Home	10	14	1	3	0	1	.214	17	28	3	4	0	4	.143
Away	14	13	2	0	0	2	.000	10	21	2	3	0	0	.143
vs. Righthanders	—	26	—	3	0	3	.115	—	27	—	6	0	3	.222
vs. Lefthanders	—	1	—	0	0	0	.000	—	22	—	1	0	1	.045
vs. Western Div.	15	17	3	3	0	3	.176	14	24	1	5	0	1	.208
vs. California	3	2	0	0	0	0	.000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chicago	3	7	0	2	0	0	.286	5	9	0	2	0	1	.222
Milwaukee	1	1	0	0	0	0	.000	5	8	1	3	0	0	.375
Minnesota	2	1	0	0	0	1	.000	4	7	0	0	0	0	.000
Royals	6	6	3	1	0	2	.167	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
vs. Eastern Div.	9	10	0	0	0	0	.000	13	25	4	2	0	3	.080
vs. Baltimore	2	1	0	0	0	0	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	.000
Boston	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	11	2	2	0	3	.182
Cleveland	3	7	0	0	0	0	.000	3	7	1	0	0	0	.000
Detroit	3	2	0	0	0	0	.000	3	3	0	0	0	0	.000
New York	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	1	0	0	0	.000
Washington	1	0	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
First Half	19	23	3	3	0	3	.130	27	49	5	7	0	4	.143
Second Half	5	4	0	0	0	0	.000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
In April	9	11	1	3	0	2	.273	17	29	4	4	0	3	.138
May	8	11	2	0	0	1	.000	10	20	1	3	0	1	.150
June	1	1	0	0	0	0	.000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
July	6	4	0	0	0	0	.000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pinch Hitting	15	20	—	2	0	3	.200	17	13	—	3	0	0	.231
Longest Streak			3 games							2 games				

SOLID 1-2 PUNCH

The 187 RBI collected by Bob Oliver (99) and Lou Piniella (88) in 1970 ranked them as Kansas City's second best 1-2 punch. The only better production was in 1962 when Norm Siebern (117) and Jerry Lumpe (83) drove in 200 runs.

ALL-TIME KANSAS CITY ROYALS MAJOR LEAGUE PLAYER ROSTER

(Includes all 62 players who have appeared in one or more official American League games for the Royals)

Abernathy, Ted 1970-71
Adair, Jerry 1969-70
Alcaraz, Luis 1969-70
Bunker, Wally 1969-71
Burgmeier, Tom 1969-71
Butler, Bill 1969-71
Campanis, Jimmy 1969-70
Cisco, Galen 1969
Clemons, Lance 1971
Cram, Jerry 1969
Dal Canton, Bruce 1971
Drabowsky, Moe 1969-70
Drago, Dick 1969-71
Fiore, Mike 1969-70
Fitzmorris, Al 1969-71
Floyd, Bob 1970-71
Foy, Je 1969
Harris, Bill 1969
Harrison, Chuck 1969, 1971
Healy, Fran 1969
Hedlund, Mike 1969-71
Hernandez, Jack 1969-70
Hopkins, Gail 1971
Johnson, Bob 1970
Jones, Steve 1969
Kelly, Pat 1969-70
Keough, Joe 1969-71
Kirkpatrick, Ed 1969-71
Knoop, Bobby 1971
Martinez, Buck 1969-71
Matchick, Tommy 1970
May, Jerry 1971
McCormick, Mike 1971
Monteagudo, Aurelio 1970
Montgomery, Monty 1971
Morehead, Dave 1969-70
Nelson, Roger 1969-71
Northey, Scott 1969
Oliver, Bob 1969-71
O'Riley, Don 1969-70
Otis, Amos 1970-71
Paepke, Dennis 1969, 1971
Patek, Fred 1971
Piniella, Lou 1969-71
Rico, Fred 1969
Rios, Juan 1969
Rodriguez, Ellie 1969-70
Rojas, Cookie 1970-71
Rooker, Jim 1969-71
Savage, Ted 1971
Schaal, Paul 1969-71
Severson, Rich 1970-71
Sorrell, Bill 1970
Splittorff, Paul 1970-71
Spriggs, George 1969-70
Taylor, Bob 1969-70
Taylor, Carl 1971
Valdespino, Sandy 1971
Wickersham, Dave 1969
Wright, Ken 1970-71
York, Jim 1970-71
Zachary, Chris 1969

AMERICAN LEAGUE CAREER BATTING

	FLOYD							HOPKINS						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Career	92	204	20	42	0	13	.206	372	992	123	271	23	124	.273
vs. Western Div.	59	138	16	34	0	11	.246	210	538	60	155	14	71	.288
vs. California	8	15	3	3	0	1	.200	42	90	7	22	1	9	.244
Chicago	14	28	1	9	0	5	.321	11	36	4	10	2	4	.278
Milwaukee	9	13	5	3	0	1	.231	39	99	9	32	4	17	.323
Minnesota	15	45	6	10	0	4	.222	43	110	15	34	2	10	.309
Oakland	11	32	0	7	0	0	.219	51	133	19	37	4	19	.278
Royals	2	5	1	2	0	0	.400	24	70	6	20	1	12	.286
vs. Eastern Div.	33	66	4	8	0	2	.121	162	454	63	116	9	53	.256
vs. Baltimore	—	—	—	—	—	-	—	27	89	11	25	1	8	.281
Boston	5	6	0	0	0	0	.000	25	66	9	18	1	9	.273
Cleveland	11	22	1	2	0	2	.091	32	85	17	26	2	8	.306
Detroit	3	4	0	0	0	0	.000	24	77	11	20	3	14	.260
New York	5	12	2	2	0	0	.167	26	62	4	12	1	8	.194
Washington	9	22	1	4	0	0	.182	28	75	11	15	1	6	.200

	HOVLEY							KEOUGH						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Career	227	591	69	151	3	40	.255	271	798	86	198	9	76	.248
vs. Western Div.	131	358	44	104	2	24	.291	138	406	37	94	3	33	.232
vs. California	28	68	8	22	0	1	.324	31	77	7	16	0	7	.208
Chicago	21	56	7	19	0	8	.339	25	77	8	15	0	4	.195
Milwaukee	14	33	1	6	0	1	.182	25	86	4	18	1	7	.209
Minnesota	31	90	8	22	1	5	.244	30	80	10	26	2	9	.325
Oakland	12	47	10	19	0	4	.404	27	86	8	19	0	6	.221
Royals	25	64	10	16	1	5	.250	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
vs. Eastern Div.	96	233	25	47	1	16	.202	133	392	49	104	6	43	.265
vs. Baltimore	13	35	3	5	0	1	.143	23	64	3	16	0	2	.250
Boston	17	46	6	16	1	8	.348	22	63	6	14	0	5	.222
Cleveland	17	42	3	4	0	0	.095	20	55	10	14	0	6	.255
Detroit	16	32	6	6	0	3	.188	22	65	10	19	2	5	.292
New York	19	44	4	9	0	2	.205	20	57	7	17	1	9	.298
Washington	14	34	3	7	0	2	.206	26	88	13	24	3	16	.273

	KIRKPATRICK							KNOOP						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Career	714	1960	231	442	58	253	.225	1109	3525	329	833	56	324	.237
vs. Western Div.	302	876	95	199	29	127	.227	450	1426	128	344	18	131	.241
vs. California	37	122	21	38	8	24	.311	32	101	6	16	2	5	.158
Chicago	72	185	24	45	8	33	.243	93	298	25	72	4	30	.242
Milwaukee	39	114	14	19	5	10	.167	43	138	9	27	1	11	.196
Minnesota	75	214	18	50	4	30	.234	129	405	43	114	4	28	.281
Oakland	79	241	18	47	4	30	.195	123	371	38	87	6	50	.235
Royals	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	30	113	7	28	1	7	.248
vs. Eastern Div.	412	1084	136	243	29	126	.224	659	2099	201	489	38	193	.233
vs. Baltimore	67	185	14	31	1	13	.168	110	355	26	77	3	21	.217
Boston	74	182	29	47	7	33	.258	106	341	43	79	8	27	.232
Cleveland	75	207	28	42	5	22	.203	105	354	30	79	2	37	.223
Detroit	57	151	20	30	4	14	.199	114	340	34	83	9	32	.244
New York	62	163	13	36	4	14	.221	117	375	34	91	6	33	.243
Washington	77	196	32	57	8	30	.291	107	334	34	80	10	43	.240

	MARTINEZ							OLIVER						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Career	100	260	18	55	4	24	.212	406	1379	161	350	48	194	.253
vs. Western Div.	61	157	11	36	1	13	.229	230	776	100	193	31	111	.249
vs. California	10	22	1	5	0	2	.227	52	181	23	52	4	26	.287
Chicago	15	42	3	11	0	5	.262	46	158	16	36	7	20	.228
Milwaukee	14	39	5	7	0	3	.179	44	135	18	27	3	17	.200
Minnesota	12	33	2	8	1	3	.242	46	158	22	43	6	24	.272
Oakland	10	21	0	5	0	0	.238	42	144	21	35	11	24	.243
vs. Eastern Div.	39	103	7	19	3	11	.184	176	603	61	157	17	83	.260
vs. Baltimore	6	16	1	6	1	2	.375	31	105	12	27	4	15	.257
Boston	9	24	3	4	1	2	.167	30	103	8	27	3	18	.262
Cleveland	3	16	1	2	0	4	.125	29	88	8	16	4	11	.182
Detroit	6	19	1	4	1	3	.211	31	115	12	31	2	15	.270
New York	4	9	0	0	0	0	.000	28	97	11	26	1	9	.268
Washington	8	19	1	3	0	0	.158	27	95	10	30	3	15	.316

	OTIS							PAEPKE						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Career	306	1175	171	343	26	137	.292	72	179	13	34	2	14	.190
vs. Western Div.	171	643	89	186	11	74	.289	41	91	8	20	1	8	.220
vs. California	36	143	23	41	3	15	.287	8	19	1	3	0	3	.158
Chicago	35	128	16	34	1	12	.266	5	13	1	4	1	2	.308
Milwaukee	35	124	19	44	3	18	.355	6	12	2	4	0	0	.333
Minnesota	31	118	18	37	2	14	.314	11	25	1	3	0	3	.120
Oakland	34	130	13	30	2	15	.231	11	22	3	6	0	0	.273
vs. Eastern Div.	135	532	82	157	15	63	.295	31	88	5	14	1	6	.159
vs. Baltimore	23	89	15	29	3	12	.326	4	9	0	1	0	0	.111
Boston	23	86	15	21	3	16	.244	5	17	0	1	0	0	.059
Cleveland	19	75	13	24	4	7	.320	6	20	2	3	0	2	.150
Detroit	24	102	16	28	3	12	.275	5	14	2	5	1	2	.357
New York	24	95	9	29	2	7	.305	3	7	0	0	0	0	.000
Washington	22	85	14	26	0	9	.306	8	21	1	4	0	2	.190

	PINIELLA							ROJAS						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Career	415	1489	141	427	25	208	.287	213	798	92	224	8	87	.281
vs. Western Div.	235	839	68	247	11	118	.294	114	416	47	129	4	38	.310
vs. California	53	191	18	61	3	27	.319	25	95	12	40	0	13	.421
Chicago	42	149	11	51	1	16	.342	22	72	9	20	1	8	.278
Milwaukee	45	159	13	42	4	24	.264	23	85	6	17	0	6	.200
Minnesota	51	177	16	54	1	25	.305	20	75	11	26	1	7	.347
Oakland	44	163	10	39	2	26	.239	24	89	9	26	2	4	.292
vs. Eastern Div.	180	650	73	180	14	90	.277	99	382	45	95	4	49	.249
vs. Baltimore	33	120	16	36	2	13	.300	16	60	8	19	0	10	.317
Boston	29	107	10	34	1	13	.318	17	71	11	15	1	10	.211
Cleveland	28	105	7	23	4	18	.219	20	73	10	18	1	9	.247
Detroit	29	111	16	32	3	17	.288	16	68	7	17	0	4	.250
New York	30	116	15	33	3	13	.284	13	49	4	10	2	6	.204
Washington	31	91	9	22	1	16	.242	17	61	5	16	0	10	.262

	SCHAAL							SCHEINBLUM						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Career	815	2525	315	609	40	216	.241	170	370	30	77	1	28	.208
vs. Western Div.	338	1054	134	266	17	95	.252	72	148	10	33	0	9	.223
vs. California	41	126	28	45	0	15	.357	8	16	2	2	0	2	.125
Chicago	94	305	23	75	2	26	.246	16	39	2	9	0	2	.231
Milwaukee	39	119	19	36	3	16	.303	11	20	1	8	0	2	.400
Minnesota	83	249	31	53	4	18	.213	16	37	2	8	0	2	.216
Oakland	81	255	33	57	8	20	.224	14	23	2	6	0	1	.261
Royals	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	13	1	0	0	0	.000
vs. Eastern Div.	477	1471	181	343	23	121	.233	98	222	20	44	1	19	.198
vs. Baltimore	86	264	25	63	1	20	.239	19	44	5	15	0	5	.341
Boston	81	252	38	68	6	25	.270	18	54	7	7	0	5	.130
Cleveland	77	253	36	54	4	22	.213	3	7	1	0	0	0	.000
Detroit	76	244	28	58	5	21	.238	18	37	2	4	1	3	.108
New York	79	226	33	54	3	18	.239	23	44	3	8	0	2	.182
Washington	78	232	21	46	4	15	.198	17	36	2	10	0	4	.278

	SEVERSON						
	G	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	PCT.
Career	93	270	26	69	1	23	.256
vs. Western Div.	53	151	16	38	1	12	.252
vs. California	11	33	2	6	0	2	.182
Chicago	9	29	3	6	0	0	.207
Milwaukee	11	27	4	10	1	6	.370
Minnesota	10	28	4	9	0	2	.321
Oakland	12	34	3	7	0	2	.206
vs. Eastern Div.	40	119	10	31	0	11	.261
vs. Baltimore	4	10	0	0	0	0	.000
Boston	8	26	1	7	0	1	.269
Cleveland	3	9	0	3	0	0	.333
Detroit	9	31	4	8	0	6	.258
New York	9	19	2	8	0	3	.421
Washington	7	24	3	5	0	1	.208

STEADY SERVICE

Two players have been on Kansas City's active roster for every game in the 3 years the Royals have played in the American League. They are Dick Drago and Ed Kirkpatrick. One other player—Lou Piniella—has been with the Royals at all times but has spent time on the disabled list.

1971 NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDINGS

Western Division

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.	GB
*San Francisco	90	72	.556	—
Los Angeles	89	73	.549	1
Atlanta	82	80	.506	8
Cincinnati	79	83	.488	11
Houston	79	83	.488	11
San Diego	61	100	.379	28½

Eastern Division

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.	GB
*Pittsburgh	97	65	.599	—
St. Louis	90	72	.556	7
Chicago	83	79	.512	14
New York	83	79	.512	14
Montreal	71	90	.441	25½
Philadelphia	67	95	.414	30

*Pittsburgh defeated San Francisco in Championship Series, 3 games to 1.

HOME RUNS

By Club

Royals					Opponent			
KC	A	1971	All-Time		KC	A	1971	All-Time
1	3	4	22	California	4	5	9	26
2	7	9	35	Chicago	1	5	6	30
4	7	11	29	Milwaukee	5	3	8	28
1	6	7	26	Minnesota	3	5	8	44
6	8	14	33	Oakland	2	8	10	42
1	1	2	14	Baltimore	6	1	7	36
1	7	8	29	Boston	4	3	7	39
4	5	9	29	Cleveland	2	4	6	28
3	5	8	24	Detroit	1	11	12	45
0	6	6	16	New York	5	3	8	23
0	2	2	18	Washington	3	0	3	17
23	57	80	—	TOTALS	36	48	84	—
108	167	—	275	All-Time	147	211	—	358

Month-By-Month

Royals					Opponent			
KC	A	1971	All-Time		KC	A	1971	All-Time
3	8	11	37	April	2	8	10	50
4	10	14	53	May	4	6	10	67
2	12	14	48	June	8	8	16	66
5	13	18	53	July	5	17	22	65
4	6	10	43	August	12	3	15	61
5	8	13	41	September	5	6	11	47
0	0	0	0	October	0	0	0	2
23	57	80	275	TOTALS	36	48	84	358

Royals Grand Slams

Player	Date	Inning	Opponent	Pitcher
Bob Oliver	July 4, 1969(1st)	8	Seattle	Jim Bouton
Ed Kirkpatrick	August 13, 1970	8	at Boston	John Curtis
Bob Oliver	April 19, 1971	5	at Minnesota	Steve Barber

Grand Slams (for other teams)

Player	Team	Date	Inning	Opponent	Pitcher
Cookie Rojas	Philadelphia	Sept. 10, 1967	7	Atlanta	Cecil Upshaw
*Jerry May	Pittsburgh	June 8, 1969	7	Atlanta	Paul Doyle

*Hit as pinch hitter.

Royals Pinch-Hit Homers

Player	Date	Inning	On Base	Opponent	Pitcher
Bob Taylor	May 6, 1969	9	2	at Detroit	Dick Radatz
Chuck Harrison	July 10, 1969	7	1	at Minnesota	Dick Woodson
Bob Oliver	September 8, 1969	5	1	at Oakland	Lew Krausse
Lou Piniella	July 4, 1970	9	2	at Milwaukee	Dave Baldwin
Gail Hopkins	June 5, 1971	7	2	at New York	Lindy McDaniel
Bob Oliver	June 23, 1971	6	0	at Chicago	Wilbur Wood
Chuck Harrison	July 27, 1971	7	1	at Detroit	Mickey Lolich
Ed Kirkpatrick	August 7, 1971 (1st)	6	1	Milwaukee	Marty Pattin

Royals Inside-The-Park Home Runs

Player	Date	Inning	On Base	Opponent	Pitcher
Jerry Adair	April 23, 1969	7	0	Seattle	Marty Pattin
Lou Piniella	June 11, 1969	8	1	at New York	Fritz Peterson
Ed Kirkpatrick	September 28, 1969	1	1	at Chicago	Fred Rath
Pat Kelly	May 5, 1970	5	0	at Baltimore	Tom Phoebus
Fred Patek	July 18, 1971 (1st)	6	0	Detroit	Mike Kilkenny

Individual—1971

	Total	Cal H-A	Chi H-A	Mil H-A	Minn H-A	Oak H-A	Bal H-A	Bos H-A	Cle H-A	Det H-A	NY H-A	Wash H-A	Total H-A
Hopkins	9	0-0	0-2	2-0	1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-1	0-1	4-5
Keough	3	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-3
Kirkpatrick	9	1-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	1-0	0-0	1-0	3-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	7-2
May	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-0
Oliver	8	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-1	1-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-7
Otis	15	0-2	1-0	0-3	0-0	1-0	0-1	0-3	0-2	1-0	0-1	0-0	3-12
Paepke	2	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-2
Patek	6	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	1-5
Piniella	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-0	0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	2-1
Rojas	6	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-2	0-0	0-6
Schaal	11	0-0	0-1	1-1	0-2	1-3	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	2-9

Lifetime Home Runs—A.L.—By Parks

	Total	Cal	Chi	K.C.	Mil	Minn	Oak	Bal	Bos	Cle	Det	NY	Wash
Hopkins	23	0	9	4	0	1	2	0	1	1	2	1	1
Hovley	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Keough	9	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	3
Knoop	56	18	8	2	0	2	0	2	4	1	7	5	6
Kirkpatrick	58	10	5	25	1	1	2	0	2	0	2	4	4
Martinez	4	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
May	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oliver	48	3	4	17	1	3	7	1	3	4	2	0	2
Otis	26	2	0	9	3	0	0	2	3	4	1	2	0
Paepke	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Patek	6	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0
Piniella	25	1	0	14	3	1	0	0	1	2	1	2	0
Rojas	8	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	0	2	0
Rooker	5	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Schaal	40	14	2	6	2	3	3	0	2	3	1	1	3
Scheinblum	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Severson	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Additional Home Runs: at Dodger Stadium, Los Angeles, Kirkpatrick (1), Knoop (1); at Sicks Stadium, Seattle, Hopkins (1), Hovley (1), Kirkpatrick (1), Oliver (1).

Opponent Home Runs

(Includes active players only)

	1971 KC-A	All-Time KC-A		1971 KC-A	All-Time KC-A		1971 KC-A	All-Time KC-A
Alou, F.	0-1	0-1	Haney	0-0	1-0	Nettles, J.	0-2	0-2
Alyea	0-0	0-1	Hardin	0-0	0-1	Northrup	0-0	2-0
Andrews	0-0	1-1	Harper	1-0	2-2	O'Brien	0-0	0-1
Azcue	0-0	1-0	Hegan	0-1	0-2	Odom	0-0	0-1
Bando	0-0	2-2	Hendricks	1-0	1-2	Oliva	1-0	4-2
Berry	0-0	0-3	Herrmann	0-0	2-2	Pavletich	0-0	1-0
Blair	0-0	1-1	Hinton	0-0	0-1	Pepitone	0-0	2-1
Blefary	0-0	0-1	Horton, W.	0-0	5-2	Peters	1-0	1-0
Blomberg	3-0	3-0	Howard	1-0	2-3	Petrocelli	0-0	2-5
Bradford	0-0	0-1	Jackson	0-1	6-7	Pinson	0-0	0-2
Brett	0-0	0-1	Johnson, A.	1-0	3-0	Powell	1-0	4-4
Briggs	1-0	1-0	Johnson, D.	1-0	2-1	Ratliff	0-0	1-1
Brooks	0-0	1-0	Johnstone	0-2	2-4	Reese	0-0	2-2
Brown, G.	0-1	0-1	Jones, D.	0-0	0-4	Renick	0-0	1-2
Brown, L.	0-1	0-1	Kaat	0-0	0-1	Repoz	0-0	2-0
Buford	0-0	1-0	Kaline	0-1	1-2	Rettenmund	1-0	1-0
Burda	0-0	1-0	Kenney	0-0	1-0	Robinson, B.	0-0	1-3
Burroughs	1-0	1-0	Killebrew	2-1	5-5	Robinson, F.	1-1	4-4
Cardenal	1-0	1-2	Klimchock	0-0	1-0	Rodriguez, A.	0-1	0-1
Cardenas	0-1	2-2	Lahoud	0-0	1-0	Rudi	0-0	0-1
Carew	0-0	3-0	Leon	0-0	0-1	Scott	1-2	2-4
Cash, N.	1-4	1-8	Lowenstein	1-0	1-0	Sims	0-0	0-2
Cater	1-0	1-1	Maddox	0-0	1-0	Smith, R.	2-1	7-4
Chambliss	0-1	0-1	May, C.	0-1	1-4	Spencer	1-1	1-2
Christian	0-0	1-0	May, D.	2-1	2-2	Stanley	0-0	0-3
Conigliaro, T.	0-0	2-2	Maye	0-0	1-2	Stephenson, J.	0-1	0-1
Cowan	0-0	0-1	McAuliffe	0-3	1-3	Stroud	0-0	1-0
Cuellar	1-0	2-0	McCraw	1-0	2-0	Taylor, T.	0-1	0-1
Davis, T.	0-0	0-1	McKinney	0-0	0-3	Tenace	1-0	1-2
Duncan	0-0	0-1	McMullen	0-2	0-2	Tovar	0-0	0-3
Epstein	0-3	1-5	McNally	0-0	0-1	Uhlaender	0-0	0-1
Fernandez	0-0	0-1	Melton	1-2	2-3	Unser	0-0	2-0
Fosse	0-0	0-1	Messersmith	1-1	1-1	Voss	0-1	0-2
Foster, R.	0-1	0-2	Mincher	0-0	5-3	Walton	0-0	0-2
Freehan	0-0	1-2	Mitterwald	0-1	1-1	Wert	0-0	0-4
Fregosi	1-0	4-1	Monday	1-1	2-1	White	0-1	1-3
Goossen	0-0	0-2	Motton	0-0	0-2	Williams, W.	0-0	0-1
Green	0-2	1-4	Murcer	1-1	4-3	Yastrzemski	0-0	1-4
			Nettles, G.	1-2	5-3			

ROOKIE QUALIFICATIONS

A major league Rookie is a player who has not spent more than 45 days on a major league roster between opening day (before 1968 it was between the 31st day of the season) and September 1, and who has not exceeded 90 official at bats or 45 innings pitched at the major league level.

PITCHING VS. EACH CLUB—1971

	ABERNATHY							BURGMEIER						
	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA.	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA.
Season	63	81	60	23	4	6	2.56	67	88.1	71	17	9	7	1.74
Home	32	41	32	14	2	2	3.07	37	51.1	40	9	4	2	1.59
Away	31	40	28	9	2	4	2.03	30	37	31	8	5	5	1.95
vs. Western Div.	38	46.2	38	12	2	3	2.30	39	41	36	10	6	4	2.20
vs. California	5	6	6	2	1	1	3.00	6	6.2	5	1	0	0	1.29
Chicago	6	8.2	3	0	0	0	0.00	7	9.1	7	2	1	0	2.00
Milwaukee	8	6.2	8	3	0	0	3.86	9	13	10	2	4	2	1.38
Minnesota	10	13.1	10	3	1	0	2.07	8	7.2	3	1	1	1	1.13
Oakland	9	12	11	4	0	2	3.00	9	4.1	11	4	0	1	9.00
vs. Eastern Div.	25	34.1	22	11	2	3	2.91	28	47.1	35	7	3	3	1.34
vs. Baltimore	5	5.1	4	1	1	1	1.80	3	9	3	1	0	0	1.00
Boston	3	4.1	1	0	0	0	0.00	4	10.1	6	0	1	0	0.00
Cleveland	3	2.2	1	0	0	0	0.00	6	8	5	1	0	1	1.13
Detroit	7	9.2	5	5	0	1	4.50	5	6.2	6	1	1	1	1.29
New York	3	5	3	2	1	1	3.60	5	6.2	9	4	0	1	5.14
Washington	4	7.1	8	3	0	0	3.86	5	6.2	6	0	1	0	0.00
First Half	34	41.1	28	10	2	4	2.19	36	44.2	34	7	3	2	1.40
Second Half	29	39.2	32	13	2	2	2.93	31	43.2	37	10	6	5	2.05
In April	10	12.2	5	1	1	1	0.69	11	13	7	2	1	1	1.38
May	12	12.2	8	4	0	2	2.70	12	13.1	10	2	1	0	1.38
June	11	15	14	5	1	1	3.00	11	15.2	15	3	1	1	1.69
July	11	15.1	11	5	0	0	3.00	10	16.1	12	3	1	3	1.69
August	8	11.1	10	4	1	1	3.27	12	18.1	18	5	2	1	2.50
September	11	14	12	4	1	1	2.57	11	11.2	9	2	3	1	1.50
As Starter	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
In Relief	63	81	60	23	4	6	2.56	67	88.1	71	17	9	7	1.74
Winning Streak			1 game							3 games				
Losing Streak			2 games							3 games				
	Saves: Chicago 4, Minnesota 4, Oakland 4, Milwaukee 3, Boston 2, Washington 2, Baltimore 1, California 1, Cleveland 1 Detroit 1.							Saves: Cleveland 4, Boston 3, Washington 3, Chicago 2, Baltimore 1, California 1, Milwaukee 1, Minnesota 1. New York 1.						

	BUTLER							DAL CANTON						
	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA.	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA.
Season	14	44.1	45	17	1	2	3.48	25	141.1	144	54	8	6	3.45
Home	10	27.1	22	5	0	1	1.67	13	69.2	69	25	5	3	3.21
Away	4	17	23	12	1	1	6.35	12	71.2	75	29	3	3	3.63
vs. Western Div.	9	30.2	26	8	1	2	2.32	15	73	77	30	3	4	3.70
vs. California	1	4	0	0	0	0	0.00	4	25.1	24	10	1	1	3.60
Chicago	2	8	4	0	0	1	0.00	1	7.1	8	1	1	0	1.29
Milwaukee	2	8.2	7	3	0	1	3.00	4	9	7	3	0	1	3.00
Minnesota	2	2.1	5	2	0	0	9.00	3	13	19	8	0	1	5.54
Oakland	2	7.2	10	3	1	0	3.38	3	18.1	19	8	1	1	4.00
vs. Eastern Div.	5	13.2	19	9	0	0	5.79	10	68.1	67	24	5	2	3.18
vs. Baltimore	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	12.1	11	4	1	1	3.00
Boston	1	1.2	3	0	0	0	0.00	2	14.2	14	6	2	0	3.60
Cleveland	1	1	1	1	0	0	9.00	3	19.2	26	6	1	1	2.70
Detroit	2	9	13	8	0	0	8.00	1	9	6	1	1	0	1.00
New York	1	2	2	0	0	0	0.00	2	12.2	10	7	0	0	4.85
Washington	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
First Half	3	18.1	18	6	1	2	3.00	16	112	103	36	8	3	2.89
Second Half	11	26	27	11	0	0	3.81	9	29.1	41	18	0	3	5.59
In April	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	27.2	28	10	1	1	3.21
May	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	36.2	32	8	4	1	1.95
June	1	7	9	3	1	0	3.86	6	40.1	35	17	2	1	3.83
July	5	21.1	23	12	0	2	5.14	5	28.1	38	15	1	2	4.82
August	4	5.1	9	1	0	0	0.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
September	4	10.2	4	1	0	0	0.82	5	8.1	11	4	0	1	4.50
As Starter	6	28.1	32	15	1	2	4.82	22	138.2	141	54	8	6	3.50
In Relief	8	16	13	2	0	0	1.13	3	2.2	3	0	0	0	0.00
Winning Streak			—							4 games				
Losing Streak			2 games							3 games				
								Complete Games: Baltimore 1, Detroit 1.						

11 HITS BY OUTFIELD

Kansas City's outfield nearly made the all-time major league record book with an outstanding hitting performance at California on May 4, 1969.

Paced by Bob Oliver's 6-for-6 day, the outfield had a total of 11 hits, 1 short of the record of 12 hits—a mark that has been reached only 3 times. Ed Kirkpatrick in rightfield contributed 3 hits and Lou Piniella in left had 2. The last time 12 hits were recorded by an outfield was by Cleveland on April 29, 1952.

	DRAGO							FITZMORRIS						
	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA.	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA.
Season	35	241.1	251	80	17	11	2.99	36	127.1	112	59	7	5	4.18
Home	16	119.1	124	31	7	5	2.34	18	66.1	68	35	2	5	4.77
Away	19	122	127	49	10	6	3.61	18	61	44	24	5	0	3.54
vs. Western Div.	20	136	143	46	9	7	3.04	23	89.2	73	44	4	4	4.40
vs. California	5	45	32	8	4	1	1.60	2	5	8	5	0	1	9.00
Chicago	5	20.2	31	17	1	2	7.29	6	13	11	2	1	0	1.38
Milwaukee	4	33	33	8	3	0	2.18	4	13.1	18	13	0	1	9.00
Minnesota	4	27.2	37	10	1	3	3.21	4	30.2	17	11	2	1	3.19
Oakland	2	9.2	10	3	0	1	2.70	7	27.2	19	13	1	1	4.18
vs. Eastern Div.	15	105.1	108	34	8	4	2.91	13	37.2	39	15	3	1	3.55
vs. Baltimore	3	18	14	5	1	1	2.50	4	7	8	2	1	0	2.57
Boston	4	32	33	7	3	0	1.97	3	11.2	12	5	1	0	3.75
Cleveland	4	33.2	33	7	4	0	1.85	1	1.1	3	1	0	0	9.00
Detroit	1	8	7	1	0	0	1.13	2	6.2	3	0	0	0	0.00
New York	3	13.2	21	14	0	3	9.00	1	1.2	1	0	0	0	0.00
Washington	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	9.1	12	7	1	1	7.00
First Half	18	113.2	126	42	9	4	3.32	21	40.1	35	22	1	1	4.95
Second Half	17	127.2	125	38	8	7	2.67	15	87	77	37	6	4	3.83
In April	5	39.1	39	8	3	1	1.85	5	17	11	10	1	0	5.29
May	5	27.2	34	10	2	0	3.21	7	8.2	8	6	0	0	6.00
June	6	28.2	41	20	2	3	6.21	7	11.2	15	6	0	1	4.50
July	7	53	40	12	5	2	2.04	5	11.1	12	3	1	0	2.45
August	6	45.1	49	17	3	2	3.40	6	34.1	30	16	3	1	4.24
September	6	47.1	48	13	2	3	2.50	6	44.1	36	18	2	3	3.68
As Starter	34	241	246	74	17	11	2.76	15	93	85	46	7	5	4.45
In Relief	1	.1	5	6	0	0	162.	21	34.1	27	13	0	0	3.44
Winning Streak			4 games							4 games				
Losing Streak			3 games							2 games				

Shutouts: Boston 1, California 1, Cleveland 1, Milwaukee 1.
Complete Games: California 5, Baltimore 2, Boston 2, Cleveland 2, Milwaukee 2, Chicago 1, Minnesota 1.

Shutout: Minnesota 1.
Complete Games: Minnesota 2.

	HEDLUND							MONTGOMERY						
	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA.	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA.
Season	32	205.2	168	62	15	8	2.71	3	21.1	16	5	3	0	2.14
Home	15	94.1	82	25	9	2	2.39	2	13.1	10	3	2	0	2.08
Away	17	111.1	86	37	6	6	3.00	1	8	6	2	1	0	2.25
vs. Western Div.	17	111.2	87	32	7	5	2.57	3	21.1	16	3	3	0	1.29
vs. California	5	26.1	23	9	2	0	3.12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chicago	4	29	25	6	2	2	1.86	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Milwaukee	3	20.2	11	3	1	1	1.29	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Minnesota	3	21.1	20	6	2	0	2.57	2	15.1	12	5	2	0	3.00
Oakland	2	14.1	8	8	0	2	5.14	1	6	4	0	1	0	0.00
vs. Eastern Div.	15	94	81	30	8	3	2.87	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
vs. Baltimore	4	18.2	19	9	0	2	4.26	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Boston	2	16	12	3	2	0	1.69	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cleveland	2	14	9	2	2	0	1.29	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Detroit	2	8.1	11	7	0	1	7.88	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
New York	2	18	16	4	2	0	2.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Washington	3	19	14	5	2	0	2.37	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
First Half	17	110.1	93	33	7	5	2.70	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Second Half	15	95.1	75	29	8	3	2.75	3	21.1	16	5	3	0	2.14
In April	5	34.1	23	8	3	0	2.12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
May	4	25	26	9	1	3	3.24	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
June	7	43	36	15	3	1	3.14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
July	6	30.1	34	14	1	2	4.20	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
August	4	29	21	7	4	0	2.17	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
September	6	44	28	9	3	2	1.84	3	21.1	16	5	3	0	2.14
As Starter	30	201.2	165	62	15	8	2.76	2	15.1	12	5	2	0	3.00
In Relief	2	4	3	0	0	0	0.00	1	6	4	0	1	0	0.00
Winning Streak			4 games							3 games				
Losing Streak			2 games							—				

Shutout: Cleveland 1.
Complete Games: New York 2, Boston 1, California 1, Cleveland 1, Minnesota 1, Oakland 1.

	ROOKER							SPLITTORFF						
	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA.	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA.
Season	20	54	59	32	2	7	5.33	22	144.1	129	43	8	9	2.69
Home	7	29	28	15	1	4	4.66	12	85.1	64	18	6	4	1.91
Away	13	25	31	17	1	3	6.12	10	59	65	25	2	5	3.81
vs. Western Div.	10	33	34	18	1	5	4.91	13	86	78	29	3	8	3.03
vs. California	1	6.1	6	3	0	1	4.50	2	18	14	1	2	0	0.50
Chicago	3	16	12	5	1	1	2.81	4	27.1	29	14	1	3	4.67
Milwaukee	1	.2	0	0	0	0	0.00	3	24	16	2	0	2	0.75
Minnesota	2	3.1	10	5	0	1	15.00	2	5.2	12	10	0	2	15.00
Oakland	3	6.2	6	5	0	2	6.43	2	11	7	2	0	1	1.64
vs. Eastern Div.	10	21	25	14	1	2	6.00	9	58.1	51	14	5	1	2.17
vs. Baltimore	3	5.2	5	2	0	0	3.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Boston	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3.2	6	3	0	0	6.75
Cleveland	1	3	3	2	1	0	6.00	1	4	6	2	0	0	4.50
Detroit	3	8	13	10	0	2	11.25	2	13.1	14	5	1	0	3.46
New York	2	2.1	3	0	0	0	0.00	2	16	12	2	1	1	1.13
Washington	1	2	1	0	0	0	0.00	3	21.1	13	2	3	0	0.86
First Half	15	41.2	42	24	1	6	5.14	7	48	47	12	3	3	2.25
Second Half	5	12.1	17	8	1	1	6.00	15	96.1	82	31	5	6	2.91
In April	4	12	17	16	0	4	12.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
May	4	9	9	3	0	1	3.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
June	6	11.2	13	5	0	1	3.75	5	33.1	33	11	3	1	3.00
July	6	21.1	20	8	2	1	3.43	5	32	34	8	1	2	2.25
August	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	46.2	31	7	3	3	1.34
September	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	32.1	31	17	1	3	4.78
As Starter	7	32.1	34	24	1	6	6.75	22	144.1	129	43	8	9	2.69
In Relief	13	21.2	25	8	1	1	3.27	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Winning Streak	1 game							2 games						
Losing Streak	6 games							2 games (3 times)						
Shutout: Chicago 1.								Shutouts: California 1, New York 1, Washington 1.						
Complete Game: Chicago 1.								Complete Games: California 2, Chicago 1, Milwaukee 1, New York 1, Washington 1.						

	WRIGHT						
	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA
Season	21	78	66	32	3	6	3.69
Home	12	41.1	42	28	0	6	6.15
Away	9	36.2	24	4	3	0	0.97
vs. Western Div.	11	28.1	21	14	0	2	4.50
vs. California	2	3	3	2	0	0	6.00
Chicago	1	1	0	0	0	0	0.00
Milwaukee	4	9	8	9	0	2	9.00
Minnesota	1	1	1	0	0	0	0.00
Oakland	3	14.1	9	3	0	0	1.93
vs. Eastern Div.	10	49.2	45	18	3	4	3.24
vs. Baltimore	1	4.1	5	3	0	1	6.75
Boston	1	4.1	5	5	0	1	11.25
Cleveland	1	3.1	2	1	0	0	3.00
Detroit	1	4.1	5	2	0	0	4.50
New York	3	15.1	12	5	1	1	3.00
Washington	3	18	16	2	2	1	1.00
First Half	13	53	39	14	2	3	2.38
Second Half	8	25	27	18	1	3	6.48
In April	6	12.1	7	3	0	0	2.25
May	5	27	22	9	1	2	3.00
June	2	13.2	10	2	1	1	1.29
July	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
August	6	23.1	25	17	1	3	6.65
September	2	1.2	2	1	0	0	4.50
As Starter	12	62.1	55	25	3	6	3.63
In Relief	9	15.2	11	7	0	0	3.94
Winning Streak	2 games						
Losing Streak	2 games (twice)						
Shutout: Washington 1.							
Save: Cleveland 1.							
Complete Game: Washington 1.							

ROYALS TRAVEL ON OZARK

The Royals will travel exclusively on Ozark Air Lines charters during the 1972 American League season. The 100 per cent charter schedule originated in 1970. Ozark carried the Royals 27,630 miles in 1970, 28,401 in 1971 and they will go 34,996 in 1972.

DEFINITION OF NIGHT GAME

Any game scheduled to start after 6 p.m. will be considered a night game. If a game is scheduled to start at 6 p.m. and is delayed by rain, or for any other reason, it will be considered a day game. If a game is scheduled to start at 6:01 p.m., it will be considered a night game. Twi-night doubleheaders shall be included in doubleheader statistics and shall be considered two night games. When afternoon and night games are played on the same date with separate admissions, the games shall be day and night and count as single games.

AMERICAN LEAGUE CAREER PITCHING

ABERNATHY

	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA
Career	268	506.2	496	254	30	39	4.51
vs Western Div.	118	190.2	185	74	13	13	3.49
vs California	15	23.2	22	8	3	4	3.00
Chicago	26	40.1	39	13	2	1	2.92
Milwaukee	18	20	15	4	2	0	1.80
Minnesota	24	34.1	25	13	2	0	3.44
Oakland	35	72.1	84	36	4	8	4.50
vs Eastern Div.	150	316	311	180	17	26	5.12
vs Baltimore	30	63.1	68	38	3	6	5.43
Boston	28	64.1	68	47	5	5	6.61
Cleveland	15	31	41	21	0	5	6.10
Detroit	33	80.1	67	38	6	4	4.27
New York	24	46	39	26	2	5	5.09
Washington	20	31	28	10	1	1	2.90

BURGMEIER

	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA
	195	283	262	101	19	18	3.21
	94	119	116	42	10	8	3.18
	9	11	10	2	1	0	1.64
	17	15.2	18	9	1	0	5.06
	16	22	18	4	5	3	1.64
	27	36.1	29	11	2	2	2.75
	25	34	41	16	1	3	4.23
	101	164	146	59	9	10	3.24
	14	23.1	12	6	1	1	2.35
	13	27.2	24	3	1	1	0.96
	18	24.1	31	12	1	2	4.50
	15	15.2	18	8	1	3	4.50
	21	41	33	21	1	3	4.61
	20	32	28	9	4	0	2.53

BUTLER

	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA
Career	73	378.2	336	160	14	24	3.79
vs Western Div.	42	230.2	211	87	11	13	3.39
vs California	7	39.2	30	14	2	3	3.15
Chicago	10	62.1	54	16	3	2	2.32
Milwaukee	11	59	57	32	2	6	4.88
Minnesota	6	25.1	28	14	0	1	5.04
Oakland	8	44.1	42	11	4	1	2.25
vs Eastern Div.	31	148	125	73	3	11	4.44
vs Baltimore	6	17.2	22	14	0	3	7.00
Boston	7	37.1	28	16	0	4	3.89
Cleveland	5	28.1	17	7	1	1	2.25
Detroit	5	24	28	21	0	1	7.88
New York	6	27	20	9	2	1	3.00
Washington	2	13.2	10	6	0	1	3.86

DRAGO

	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA
	111	682	680	264	37	39	3.48
	63	379.2	375	142	22	20	3.36
	13	88.2	79	26	6	2	2.63
	13	57.2	69	31	3	5	4.81
	13	96.1	82	30	7	2	2.81
	13	76.1	93	31	3	7	3.67
	11	60.2	52	24	3	4	3.54
	48	302.1	305	122	15	19	3.63
	12	55.1	57	33	2	6	5.40
	7	43.1	46	16	4	1	3.35
	7	56.2	54	11	5	1	1.74
	7	41.1	48	22	0	3	4.83
	10	64.2	70	31	1	7	4.29
	5	41	30	9	3	1	1.98

FITZMORRIS

	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA
Career	86	255.2	233	122	16	11	4.29
vs Western Div.	50	159.2	133	72	9	7	4.05
vs California	8	23	27	11	1	1	4.30
Chicago	13	32	23	6	3	1	1.69
Milwaukee	8	21.2	22	14	0	1	5.73
Minnesota	10	41	27	20	2	2	4.39
Oakland	11	42	34	21	3	2	4.50
vs Eastern Div.	36	96	100	50	7	4	4.69
vs Baltimore	10	20.1	24	10	1	1	4.50
Boston	7	27.2	23	12	2	1	3.86
Cleveland	5	6	7	2	1	0	3.00
Detroit	6	17.2	10	2	1	0	1.00
New York	3	3.2	10	5	0	0	11.25
Washington	5	20.2	26	19	2	2	8.14

HEDLUND

	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA
	84	353.1	321	124	20	17	3.16
	43	195.2	165	58	10	9	2.66
	7	36.1	31	11	2	0	2.75
	9	46	44	12	2	3	2.35
	5	32.1	19	6	2	1	1.69
	9	43.1	39	13	2	3	2.72
	13	37.2	32	16	2	2	3.79
	41	157.2	156	66	10	8	3.76
	7	26.1	30	16	0	3	5.54
	7	25.1	23	9	2	1	3.24
	8	30.1	26	10	4	2	3.00
	9	22.1	25	16	0	2	6.55
	5	25	26	7	2	0	2.52
	5	28.1	26	8	2	0	2.57

ROOKER

	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA
Career	88	420.1	389	180	16	38	3.85
vs Western Div.	46	223	185	91	9	19	3.67
vs California	10	47.2	35	17	2	5	3.19
Chicago	11	66	54	22	4	2	3.00
Milwaukee	4	16.1	14	4	1	0	2.25
Minnesota	10	56	49	26	2	6	4.18
Oakland	11	37	33	22	0	6	5.35
vs Eastern Div.	42	197.1	204	89	7	19	4.06
vs Baltimore	8	25.1	26	11	0	3	3.96
Boston	6	30	32	19	1	3	5.70
Cleveland	5	26	33	17	2	3	5.88
Detroit	11	58.2	62	26	2	5	3.97
New York	5	19.2	23	7	0	3	3.15
Washington	7	37.2	28	9	2	2	2.13

SPLITTORFF

	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA
	24	153	145	50	8	10	2.94
	15	94.2	94	36	3	9	3.41
	2	18	14	1	2	0	0.50
	5	34.1	39	17	1	4	4.50
	3	24	16	2	0	2	0.75
	3	7.1	18	14	0	2	18.00
	2	11	7	2	0	1	1.64
	9	58.1	51	14	5	1	2.17
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1	3.2	6	3	0	0	6.75
	1	4	6	2	0	0	4.50
	2	13.1	14	5	1	0	3.46
	2	16	12	2	1	1	1.13
	3	21.1	13	2	3	0	0.86

WRIGHT

	G	IP	H	ER	W	L	ERA
Career	68	131.1	115	63	4	8	4.32
vs Western Div.	33	54.1	49	33	0	2	5.50
vs California	9	14.2	12	3	0	0	1.80
Chicago	6	5.1	11	10	0	0	18.00
Milwaukee	7	12.1	9	10	0	2	7.50
Minnesota	5	3.2	4	4	0	0	9.00
Oakland	6	18.1	13	6	0	0	3.00
vs Eastern Div.	35	77	66	30	4	6	3.51
vs Baltimore	5	8.2	8	4	0	1	4.00
Boston	6	7.1	7	6	0	1	7.71
Cleveland	5	9	7	5	0	1	5.00
Detroit	7	10.1	8	2	1	0	1.80
New York	5	18.1	15	8	1	2	4.00
Washington	7	23.1	21	5	2	1	1.96

TRAINER IN 12TH YEAR

Bill Jones starts his fourth year with the Royals and 12th year as a major league trainer in 1972. Jones started with the Kansas City Athletics in 1961, then moved with the A's to Oakland in 1968. He joined the Royals in 1969. Bill spent 3 years at Little Rock, Ark., and Shreveport, La., before he became the A's trainer.

WITH ROYALS ONLY

	Balt. W-L	Bos. W-L	Cal. W-L	Chi. W-L	Clev. W-L	Det. W-L	Mil. W-L	Minn. W-L	N.Y. W-L	Oak. W-L	Wash. W-L	Totals W-L
Abernathy	1-2	2-0	2-2	0-0	0-0	2-2	2-0	2-0	1-1	1-2	0-0	13-9
Burgmeier	0-0	1-1	1-0	1-0	1-2	1-1	5-3	2-2	1-3	1-2	4-0	18-14

CAREER SHUTOUTS AND LOW-HIT GAMES

BILL BUTLER

Year	ShO	0-H	1-H	2-H	3-H	4-
1970	1	0	0	0	1	0
1969	4	0	1	0	1	2

DICK DRAGO

Year	ShO	0-H	1-H	2-H	3-H	4-H
1971	4	0	1	0	0	0
1970	1	0	0	0	0	2
1969	2	0	0	0	0	1

AL FITZMORRIS

Year	ShO	0-H	1-H	2-H	3-H	4-H
1971	1	0	0	1	0	0

MIKE HEDLUND

Year	ShO	0-H	1-H	2-H	3-H	4-H
1971	1	0	0	0	2	0

JIM ROOKER

Year	ShO	0-H	1-H	2-H	3-H	4-H
1971	1	0	0	0	1	0
1970	3	0	0	0	1	1
1969	1	0	0	0	1	2

PAUL SPLITTORFF

Year	ShO	0-H	1-H	2-H	3-H	4-H
1971	3	0	1	0	1	2

KEN WRIGHT

Year	ShO	0-H	1-H	2-H	3-H	4-H
1971	1	0	0	0	0	0

LOW HIT GAMES FOR ROYALS

1-HITTERS

Pitcher	Date	Opponent	Score
Bill Butler	Aug. 9, 1969	at Cleveland	10-0
Wally Bunker	Sept. 11, 1969	at California	3-0
Dick Drago	July 30, 1971 (4½ innings)	at Baltimore	0-1
Paul Splittorff	Aug. 11, 1971 (5 innings)	at Washington	1-0

2-HITTERS

Bob Johnson	Aug. 23, 1970	Boston	4-3
Al Fitzmorris	Aug. 4, 1971 (Second Game)	Minnesota	3-0

1971 AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDINGS

Western Division

Club	Home W	Home L	Away W	Away L	Season W	Season L	Pct.	GB
*Oakland	46	35	55	25	101	60	.627	—
KANSAS CITY	**44**	**37**	**41**	**39**	**85**	**76**	**.528**	**16**
Chicago	39	42	40	41	79	83	.488	22½
California	35	46	41	40	76	86	.469	25½
Minnesota	37	42	37	44	74	86	.463	26½
Milwaukee	34	48	35	44	69	92	.429	32

Eastern Division

Club	Home W	Home L	Away W	Away L	Season W	Season L	Pct.	GB
*Baltimore	53	24	48	33	101	57	.639	—
Detroit	54	27	37	44	91	71	.562	12
Boston	47	33	38	44	85	77	.525	18
New York	44	37	38	43	82	80	.506	21
Washington	35	46	28	50	63	96	.396	38½
Cleveland	29	52	31	50	60	102	.370	43

Western Division

Club	Balt.	Det.	Bos.	N.Y.	Wash.	Clev.	Oak.	K.C.	Chi.	Cal.	Minn.	Mil.
*Oakland	4	8	9	7	9	8	—	13	7	11	10	15
KANSAS CITY	**5**	**4**	**11**	**5**	**9**	**10**	**5**	—	**9**	**10**	**9**	**8**
Chicago	4	7	2	5	10	3	11	9	—	10	7	11
California	5	6	6	6	4	8	7	8	8	—	12	6
Minnesota	2	6	4	8	5	8	8	9	11	6	—	7
Milwaukee	3	2	6	2	6	8	3	10	7	12	10	—

Eastern Division

Club	Balt.	Det.	Bos.	N.Y.	Wash.	Clev.	Oak.	K.C.	Chi.	Cal.	Minn.	Mil.
*Baltimore	—	8	9	11	13	13	7	6	8	7	10	9
Detroit	10	—	6	10	14	12	4	8	5	6	6	10
Boston	9	12	—	7	12	11	3	1	10	6	8	6
New York	7	8	11	—	7	10	5	7	7	6	4	10
Washington	3	4	6	11	—	11	3	3	2	8	6	6
Cleveland	5	6	7	8	7	—	4	2	9	4	4	4

*Baltimore defeated Oakland in Championship Series, 3 games to 0.

FORFEITED GAME: Washington to New York at Washington, Sept. 30.

CANCELLED GAMES: Oakland at Baltimore, July 29; Washington at Minnesota, July 29; Kansas City at Baltimore, Aug. 1; Washington at Baltimore, Sept. 11, 12; Milwaukee at Minnesota, Sept. 22.

OPPONENTS VS. ROYALS

(Includes active pitchers only)

	1971	All-Time		1971	All-Time		1971	All-Time
Aker	0-0	1-0	Hand	0-0	1-1	Morris	0-0	0-2
Allen	1-1	1-2	Hannan	0-0	2-2	Murphy	2-1	6-6
Bahnsen	2-1	4-3	Hardin	0-0	2-0	Nagy	0-0	4-0
Baldwin	0-0	0-2	Hargan	0-2	2-3	Nash	0-0	2-1
Barber	1-0	1-0	Hassler	0-1	0-1	Niekro	1-1	3-1
Bell, J.	1-0	1-0	Haydel	0-0	1-0	Nyman	0-0	1-1
Blue	2-0	3-0	Hennigan	0-0	1-1	Odom	1-0	5-2
Blyleven	3-1	3-3	Higgins	0-0	0-1	Osinski	0-0	0-2
Bolin	0-0	1-1	Hiller	0-0	1-0	Osteen	0-0	1-0
Bosman	1-1	4-2	Horlen	0-1	3-5	Palmer	1-1	6-1
Boswell	0-0	3-2	Hunter	4-1	9-3	Parsons	2-1	2-1
Boyd	0-0	0-1	Janeski	0-0	1-1	Pattin	3-2	5-2
Brabender	0-0	4-1	John	2-2	7-2	Paul	0-0	1-1
Bradley	1-4	2-5	Johnson	0-1	1-1	Perranoski	0-0	2-2
Brett	0-0	1-2	Kaat	1-1	3-1	Perry	2-2	7-3
Broberg	1-0	1-0	Kealey	0-1	1-1	Peters	0-3	3-4
Brown, J.	0-1	0-1	Kekich	1-1	2-2	Peterson	1-2	6-3
Cain	0-0	1-1	Kilkenny	0-0	1-1	Phoebus	0-0	2-0
Carlos	0-0	1-0	Klimkowski	0-0	1-1	Pina	0-0	2-1
Chance	1-1	2-2	Kline	1-0	1-0	Queen	0-0	0-1
Closter	1-0	1-0	Knowles	0-1	0-2	Rath	0-0	0-1
Coleman	1-0	3-3	Koonce	0-0	0-1	Reed, B.	0-0	1-0
Corbin	1-1	1-1	Krausse	0-1	0-4	Reynolds, A.	0-1	0-1
Cox	0-1	2-2	Lachemann	0-0	1-2	Reynolds, B.	0-1	0-1
Crider	0-0	0-1	Lamb	0-2	0-2	Richert	0-0	1-0
Cuellar	2-1	6-1	Lasher	0-0	0-3	Roland	0-0	0-1
Culp	1-2	2-2	Leonhard	1-0	1-0	Romo	0-0	3-1
Dobson, C.	1-0	4-3	Lindblad	0-1	1-1	Sanders	2-1	3-1
Dobson, P.	1-0	1-2	Locker	4-1	5-2	Scherman	1-1	1-2
Downing	0-0	5-1	Lockwood	1-1	3-3	Segui	1-2	2-4
Dukes	0-1	0-1	Lolich	4-0	6-1	Shellenback	0-1	1-1
Dunning	1-1	3-1	Lonborg	0-3	1-4	Siebert	0-1	0-2
Edgerton	0-0	0-1	Lopez	1-0	1-0	Slaton	0-1	0-1
Ellis	0-0	0-1	Luebber	1-1	1-1	Stottlemyre	1-0	1-1
Ellsworth	0-0	1-0	Lyle	0-0	3-1	Tatum	0-0	1-0
Farmer	1-0	1-0	Magnuson	1-0	1-1	Thompson	0-2	0-2
Fisher, E.	1-0	2-1	Marshall	0-0	1-2	Tiant	0-2	0-5
Foster	0-2	0-2	May	0-1	0-3	Timmerman	0-0	1-1
Garrett	0-0	0-1	McDaniel	0-0	4-0	Waslewski	0-1	0-1
Geishert	0-0	0-1	McDowell	0-3	2-3	Watt	1-0	5-0
Gelnar	0-0	0-3	McGlothlin	0-0	1-1	Weaver	0-0	0-1
Gilbreth	0-1	0-1	McLain	1-1	3-1	Wilhelm	0-0	1-0
Gogolewski	0-1	0-1	McNally	0-2	4-2	Williams	0-2	1-2
Grzenda	0-0	0-1	Messersmith	2-2	6-4	Wood	5-0	8-4
Hall, D.	0-0	1-1	Meyer	0-0	0-2	Woodson	0-0	4-1
Hall, T.	0-0	3-0	Miles	0-0	0-1	Wright	2-3	5-4
Hamilton, S.	0-0	1-0	Miller	0-0	1-4	Wynne	0-0	0-1
Hamm	0-1	0-2	Moore	0-0	1-0	Zepp	0-0	1-0

SHUTOUTS VS. ROYALS

Blue (2)	3	Cuellar (1)	2	Palmer (1)	2
Perry	3	Hunter	2	Pattin (2)	2
Wood (3)	3	John (1)	2	Peterson (1)	2

One Each: Bahnsen, Blyleven (1), Brabender, Bradley, Brunet, Culp (1), P. Dobson (1), Hand, Hannan, Bart Johnson, Kaat (1), Leonhard (1), McLain, Nagy, Nash, Odom (1), Parsons (1), Sparma, Wilson.

1971 shutouts in parenthesis

"SAVE" RULE

Relief pitchers get official recognition in box scores and statistics for "saving" a game.

Rule (10.20), which was added in 1969, states: "Credit a save to a relief pitcher who enters the game with his team in the lead if he holds the lead the remainder of the game, provided he is not credited with the victory.

"A relief pitcher cannot be credited with a save if he does not finish the game, unless he was removed for a pinch-hitter or pinch-runner.

"When more than one relief pitcher qualifies for a save under the provisions of this rule, credit the save to the relief pitcher judged by the scorer to have been the most effective. Only one save can be credited in any game."

ROYALS ALL-TIME LEADERS
Batting

YEAR-BY-YEAR

	1969	1970	1971
At Bats	Foy (519)	Otis (620)	Patek (591)
Runs	Foy (72)	Otis (91)	Patek (86)
Hits	Piniella (139)	Otis (176)	Otis (167)
Singles	Foy (104)	Piniella (123)	Otis (122)
Doubles	Piniella (21)	Otis (36)	Schaal (31)
Triples	Piniella (6)	Otis (9)	Patek (11)
Home Runs	Kirkpatrick (14)	Oliver (27)	Otis (15)
RBI	Piniella (68)	Oliver (99)	Otis (79)
Stolen Bases	Kelly (40)	Kelly (34)	Otis (52)
Percentage	Piniella (.282)	Piniella (.301)	Otis (.301)
Slugging Percentage	Kirkpatrick (.451)	Oliver (.451)	Otis (.443)

CAREER

Runs
171—Otis
161—Oliver
152—Schaal

Hits
427—Piniella
350—Oliver
343—Otis

Doubles
66—Piniella
62—Otis
49—Schaal

Triples
16—Piniella
13—Otis
12—Oliver

Home Runs
48—Oliver
41—Kirkpatrick
26—Otis

Runs Batted In
207—Piniella
194—Oliver
157—Kirkpatrick

Stolen Bases
85—Otis
74—Kelly
49—Patek

Pitching

YEAR-BY-YEAR

	1969	1970	1971
Games	Drabowsky (52)	Wright (47)	Burgmeier (68)
Starts	Bunker (31)	Drago (34)	Drago (34)
Complete Games	Bunker, Drago (10)	Johnson (10)	Drago (15)
Innings Pitched	Bunker (223)	Drago (240)	Drago (241)
Strikeouts	Butler (156)	Johnson (206)	Drago (109)
Wins	Bunker (12)	Rooker (10)	Drago (17)
Losses	Rooker (16)	Rooker, Drago (15)	Drago (11)
Saves	Drabowsky (11)	Abernathy (12)	Abernathy (23)
Shutouts	Butler (4)	Rooker (3)	Drago (4)
ERA	Bunker (3.23)	Johnson (3.07)	Hedlund (2.71)

CAREER

Games
139—Burgmeier
111—Drago
99—Abernathy

Starts
94—Drago
60—Butler
58—Rooker

Complete Games
32—Drago
15—Rooker
12—Bunker

Innings Pitched
682—Drago
416—Rooker
379—Butler

Strikeouts
344—Drago
263—Butler
256—Rooker

Wins
37—Drago
20—Hedlund
18—Burgmeier

Saves
35—Abernathy
18—Burgmeier
13—Drabowsky

Shutouts
7—Drago
5—Rooker
5—Butler

ROYALS ALL-STAR GAME SELECTIONS

1969—Ellie Rodriguez, c
1970—Amos Otis, of
1971—Amos Otis, of; Cookie Rojas, 2b

CAREER FIELDING

FLOYD

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1968	Bal	SS-4
1969	Bal	SS-15, 2b-15, 3B-9
1970	Bal-KC	SS-10, 3B-6
1971	KC	SS-15, 2B-8, 3B-1
Totals		SS-44, 2B-23, 3B-16

HOPKINS

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1968	Chi	1B-7
1969	Chi	1B-101
1970	Chi	1B-77, C-8
1971	KC	1B-83
Totals		1B-268, C-8

HOVLEY

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1969	Sea	OF-84
1970	Mil-Oak	OF-80
1971	Oak	OF-11
Totals		OF-175

KEOUGH

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1968	Oak	OF-29, 1B-1
1969	KC	OF-49, 1B-1
1970	KC	OF-34, 1B-18
1971	KC	OF-100
Totals		OF-212, 1B-20

KIRKPATRICK

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1962	LA (A)	C-1
1963	LA(A)	C-14, OF-10
1964	LA(A)	OF-63
1965	Cal	OF-19
1966	Cal	OF-102, 1B-3
1967	Cal	C-2, OF-1
1968	Cal	OF-45, C-4, 1B-2
1969	KC	OF-82, C-8, 3B-2, 1B-2, 2B-1
1970	KC	C-89, OF-19, 1B-16
1971	KC	OF-61, C-59
Totals		OF-402, C-177, 1B-23, 3B-2, 2B-1

MARTINEZ

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1969	KC	C-55, OF-1
1970	KC	C-5
1971	KC	C-21
Totals		C-81, OF-1

MAY

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1964	Pit	C-11
1965	Pit	C-4
1966	Pit	C-41
1967	Pit	C-110
1968	Pit	C-135
1969	Pit	C-52
1970	Pit	C-45
1971	KC	C-71
Totals		C-469

MAYBERRY

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1968	Hou	1B-2
1969	Hou	No Defensive Appearances
1970	Hou	1B-45
1971	Hou	1B-37
Totals		1B-84

OLIVER

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1965	Pit	OF-3
1969	KC	OF-98, 1B-12, 3B-8
1970	KC	1B-115, 3B-46
1971	KC	1B-68, OF-48, 3B-2
Totals		1B-195, OF-149, 3B-56

OTIS

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1967	NY(N)	3B-1, OF-16
1969	NY(N)	OF-35, 3B-3
1970	KC	OF-159
1971	KC	OF-144
Totals		OF-354, 3B-4

PAEPKE

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1969	KC	C-8
1971	KC	C-32, OF-17
Totals		C-40, OF-17

PATEK

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1968	Pit	SS-52, OF-5, 3B-1
1969	Pit	SS-146
1970	Pit	SS-65
1971	KC	SS-147
Totals		SS-410, OF-5, 3B-1

PINIELLA

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1964	Bal	No Defensive Appearances
1968	Cle	OF-2
1969	KC	OF-129
1970	KC	OF-139, 1B-1
1971	KC	OF-115
Totals		OF-385, 1B-1

ROJAS

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1962	Cin	2B-30, 3B-1
1963	Phi	2B-25, OF-1
1964	Phi	2B-20, C-1, 3B-1
1965	Phi	2B-84, OF-55, SS-11, C-2, 1B-1
1966	Phi	2B-106, OF-56, SS-2
1967	Phi	2B-137, OF-9, C-3, SS-2, 3B-1
1968	Phi	2B-150, C-1
1969	Phi	2B-95, OF-2
1970	StL-KC	2B-107, OF-3, SS-2
1971	KC	2B-111, SS-2, OF-1
Totals		2B-865, OF-127, SS-19, C-7, 3B-3, 1B-1

SCHAAL

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1964	LA(A)	2B-9, 3B-9
1965	Cal	3B-153, 2B-1
1966	Cal	3B-131
1967	Cal	3B-88, 2B-1, SS-2
1968	Cal	3B-58
1969	KC	3B-49, SS-6, 2B-6
1970	KC	3B-97, SS-10, 2B-6
1971	KC	3B-161
Totals		3B-744, 2B-23, SS-18

SCHEINBLUM

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1965	Cle	No Defensive Appearances
1967	Cle	OF-18
1968	Cle	OF-16
1969	Cle	OF-50
1971	Was	OF-13
Totals		OF-97

SEVERSON

Year	Club	G by Pos.
1970	KC	SS-50, 2B-25
1971	KC	SS-6, 2B-6, 3B-1
Totals		SS-56, 2B-31, 3B-1

ROYALS WON-LOST BREAKDOWN

	Home		Away		Totals	
	1971 W-L	All-Time W-L	1971 W-L	All-Time W-L	1971 W-L	All-Time W-L
Season	44-37	115-126	41-39	104-140	85-76	219-266
Vs RHP	29-26	86-90	31-26	76-99	60-52	162-189
Vs. LHP	15-11	29-36	10-13	28-41	25-24	57-77
Series	14-10	31-35	13-13	30-44	27-23	61-79
In April	6-5	15-19	5-6	12-14	11-11	27-33
May	4-6	13-21	8-5	23-20	12-11	36-41
June	9-4	21-22	6-8	11-27	15-12	32-49
July	8-6	19-22	6-10	18-31	14-16	37-53
August	10-8	24-22	8-4	17-23	18-12	41-45
September	7-8	21-20	8-6	23-24	15-14	44-44
October	—	2-0	—	0-1	—	2-1
First Half	21-18	55-68	21-21	52-68	42-39	107-136
Second Half	23-19	60-58	20-18	52-72	43-37	112-130
Vs. West	20-25	70-63	21-24	59-78	41-49	129-141
California	3-6	12-15	7-2	15-12	10-8	27-27
Chicago	5-4	16-9	4-5	14-15	9-9	30-24
Milwaukee	4-5	17-10	4-5	13-14	8-10	30-24
Minnesota	5-4	14-13	4-5	8-19	9-9	22-32
Oakland	3-6	11-16	2-7	9-18	5-13	20-34
Vs. East	24-12	45-63	20-15	45-62	44-27	90-125
Baltimore	4-2	4-14	1-4	2-15	5-6	6-29
Boston	5-1	10-8	6-0	8-10	11-1	18-18
Cleveland	5-1	9-9	5-1	10-8	10-2	19-17
Detroit	3-3	7-11	1-5	7-11	4-8	14-22
New York	3-3	6-12	2-4	5-13	5-7	11-25
Washington	4-2	9-9	5-1	13-5	9-3	22-14

	EXTRA INNINGS		ONE-RUN GAMES		NIGHT GAMES	
	1971 W-L	All-Time W-L	1971 W-L	All-Time W-L	1971 W-L	All-Time W-L
California	0-1	1-1	2-2	6-8	9-6	21-21
Chicago	0-0	4-1	1-3	8-6	7-5	20-11
Milwaukee	0-1	2-3	4-7	11-15	5-6	22-14
Minnesota	0-1	3-4	2-3	10-13	6-1	12-14
Oakland	0-1	4-3	1-5	6-12	1-7	11-20
Baltimore	0-1	0-4	1-2	1-9	4-5	5-24
Boston	1-0	2-1	2-0	8-4	5-1	10-11
Cleveland	0-0	2-1	2-1	5-3	3-1	9-11
Detroit	1-2	3-3	1-5	6-6	1-7	9-16
New York	0-0	0-5	1-2	3-10	4-3	10-14
Washington	0-0	2-1	2-1	9-6	8-3	17-12
TOTALS	2-7	23-27	19-31	73-92	53-45	146-168

	DAY GAMES		SHUTOUTS		DOUBLEHEADERS	
	1971 W-L	All-Time W-L	1971 W-L	All-Time W-L	1971 W-L-S	All-Time W-L-S
California	1-2	6-6	2-0	8-2	0-0-1	1-0-2
Chicago	2-4	10-13	2-4	5-6	2-0-0	6-0-2
Milwaukee	3-4	8-10	1-3	3-4	1-0-1	5-0-2
Minnesota	3-8	10-18	1-2	3-7	1-2-2	1-2-3
Oakland	4-6	9-14	1-3	2-7	0-0-2	1-1-5
Baltimore	1-1	1-5	0-4	0-6	0-0-0	0-0-0
Boston	6-0	8-7	1-1	1-3	1-0-0	1-1-2
Cleveland	7-1	10-6	3-0	7-3	0-0-1	0-1-2
Detroit	3-1	5-6	0-0	1-4	1-0-0	1-1-1
New York	1-4	1-11	1-1	3-3	0-1-0	0-2-0
Washington	1-0	5-2	3-0	3-1	1-1-1	1-1-2
TOTALS	32-31	73-98	15-18	36-46	7-4-8	17-9-21

ROYALS OPENING DAY LINEUPS

April 8, 1969 At Kansas City Royals 4, Twins 3	April 7, 1970 At Kansas City Athletics 6, Royals 4	April 6, 1971 At California Royals 4, Angels 1
Lou Piniella, cf	Pat Kelly, rf	Fred Patek, ss
Jerry Adair, 2b	Mike Fiore, 1b	Joe Keough, rf
Ed Kirkpatrick, lf	Amos Otis, cf	Amos Otis, cf
Joe Foy, 3b	Bob Oliver, 3b	Lou Piniella, lf
Chuck Harrison, 1b	Lou Piniella, lf	Bob Oliver, 1b
Bob Oliver, rf	Luis Alcaraz, 2b	Cookie Rojas, 2b
Ellie Rodriguez, c	Jack Hernandez, ss	Paul Schaal, 3b
Jack Hernandez, ss	Ellie Rodriguez, c	Buck Martinez, c
Wally Bunker, p	Wally Bunker, p	Dick Drago, p

ROYALS RECORDS

Season

Club General

BEST RECORD, HOME—44-37, 1971. AWAY—41-39, 1971.
WON HOME, MOST—44, 1971. FEWEST—35, 1970.
WON AWAY, MOST—41, 1971. FEWEST—30, 1970.
LOST HOME, MOST—45, 1969. FEWEST—37, 1971.
LOST AWAY, MOST—53, 1970. FEWEST—39, 1971.
WON OVER ONE CLUB, HOME—7, Milwaukee, 1970. AWAY—7, California, 1971.
LOST ONE CLUB, HOME—6, four times, Baltimore, 1969, 1970, California and Oakland, 1971. AWAY—8, Minnesota, 1970.
MOST TOTAL GAMES WON OVER ONE CLUB—12, Milwaukee, 1970.
MOST TOTAL GAMES LOST TO ONE CLUB—13, Oakland, 1971.
SHUTOUTS, MOST PARTICIPATED—33, 1971. WON—15, 1971. LOST—18, 1971.
SHUTOUTS WON, HOME—10, 1971. AWAY—5, twice, 1969 and 1971.
SHUTOUTS LOST, HOME—9, 1971. AWAY—9, twice, 1969 and 1971.
SHUTOUTS OVER ONE TEAM—3, five times, Cleveland, 1969, 1971, California, 1969, 1970 and Washington, 1971. BY OPP.—4, twice, Baltimore and Chicago, 1971.
SEASON SERIES SWEPT—0, LOST—1, Baltimore, 1970. WON HOME—0. LOST HOME—2, Baltimore, 1969, 1970. WON AWAY—1, Boston, 1971. LOST AWAY—2, at Boston, 1969, at Baltimore, 1970.
BEST WINNING PERCENTAGE, SEASON SERIES—.917, vs. Boston (11-1), 1971.
ONE-RUN GAMES PLAYED, MOST—59, 1969. WON, MOST—31, 1969. FEWEST—19, 1971. LOST, MOST—33, 1970. FEWEST—28, 1969.
ONE-RUN VICTORIES HOME, MOST—18, 1969. FEWEST—11, 1971. AWAY, MOST—13, 1969. FEWEST—8, 1971.
ONE-RUN LOSSES HOME, MOST—12, twice, 1969, and 1970. FEWEST—9, 1971. AWAY, MOST—22, 1971. FEWEST—16, 1969.
BEST HOMESTAND—9-4, June 8-20, 1971 (Fewer than 9 games: 6-2, Sept. 7-13, 1970). WORST—2-7, twice, May 27-June 4, 1969 and April 24-May 3, 1970.
MOST WON, HOMESTAND—9, June 8-20, 1971 (9-4). LOST—9, July 10-23, 1970 (4-9).
BEST TRIP—7-2, May 25-June 6, 1971. WORST—1-8, May 29-June 7, 1970.
MOST WON, TRIP—7, twice, Sept. 4-14, 1969 (7-4) and May 25-June 6, 1971 (7-2). LOST—8, May 29-June 7, 1970 (1-8).
EXTRA-INNING GAMES WON, MOST—14, 1970. LOST—12, 1969.
BEST EXTRA-INNING RECORD—14-8, 1970.
DOUBLEHEADERS WON, MOST—7, twice, 1970 and 1971.
BEST DOUBLEHEADER RECORD—7-3-5, 1970.
1-0 VICTORIES, MOST—3, 1971.
1-0 LOST, MOST—4, 1971.
VS. RIGHTHANDERS, MOST WON—60, 1971. LOST—71, 1970.
VS. LEFTHANDERS, MOST WON—25, 1971. LOST—27, 1969.
PLAYERS USED, MOST—39, 1969. FEWEST—35, 1971.

Club Batting

HIGHEST AVERAGE—.250, 1971. LOWEST—.240, 1969.
RUNS—611, 1970. OPP.—705, 1970.
FEWEST RUNS—586, 1969. OPP.—566, 1971.
MOST RUNS ONE CLUB—(18 games) 84, Milwaukee, 1970. (12 games) 65, Boston, 1971. VS. ROYALS—(18 games) 90, Minnesota, 1970 (12 games) 76, Baltimore, 1970.
FEWEST RUNS ONE CLUB—(18 games) 54, three times, Oakland, 1970, and Chicago and Milwaukee, 1971. (12 games) 26, Baltimore, 1969. VS. ROYALS—(18 games) 55, Milwaukee, 1970. (12 games) 28, Cleveland, 1971.
MOST HITS ONE CLUB—(18 games) 182, California, 1970. (12 games) 114, Detroit, 1971. VS. ROYALS—(18 games) 166, Chicago, 1969. (12 games) 122, Baltimore, 1970.
FEWEST HITS ONE CLUB—(18 games) 126, Oakland, 1970. (12 games) 80, Cleveland, 1969. VS. ROYALS—(18 games) 121, Milwaukee, 1970, (12 games) 82, Boston, 1970.
TOTAL BASES—1916, 1970.
HITS—1341, 1970. FEWEST—1311, 1969.
ONE-BASE-HITS—1002, 1969.
TWO-BASE-HITS—225, 1971.
THREE-BASE-HITS—41, 1970.
HOME RUNS, MOST—98, 1969. FEWEST—80, 1971.
HOME RUNS, HOME, MOST—46, 1970. AWAY—59, 1969. HOME, FEWEST—25, 1971. AWAY—51, 1970.
MOST PINCH-HITS—46, 1969. FEWEST—34, 1971.
MOST RBI PINCH-HITS—32, 1969.
BEST PINCH-HIT AVERAGE—.230, 1971.
STOLEN BASES—130, 1971.
STEALING HOME—(other than as part of double steal)—0.
HOME RUNS, ONE CLUB—15, Chicago, 1969. FEWEST—2, three times, Baltimore, 1969 and 1971 and Washington, 1971. BY OPP.—19, Minnesota, Boston, 1969. FEWEST—3, Washington, 1971.

STRIKEOUTS—953, 1970. FEWEST—819, 1971.
WALKS—522, 1969. FEWEST—490, 1971.
LEFT ON BASE—1104, 1969. FEWEST—1074, 1970.
HIT BY PITCHER—43, 1969. FEWEST—21, 1970.

Club Pitching

ERA, LOWEST—3.25, 1971. HIGHEST—3.82, 1970.
COMPLETE GAMES—42, 1969. FEWEST—30, 1970.
COMPLETE GAMES, ONE CLUB—8, California, 1971. VS. ROYALS—7, Chicago, 1971.
STRIKEOUTS—909, 1970. FEWEST—774, 1971.
WALKS—642, 1970. FEWEST—496, 1971.
GAMES NO WALKS—10, 1970.
HITS—1357, 1969. FEWEST—1301, 1971.
RUNS—705, 1970. FEWEST—603, 1971.
SAVES—44, 1971. FEWEST—25, 1970 and 1969.

Club Fielding

HIGHEST AVERAGE—.979, 1971. LOWEST—.975, 1969.
ERRORS, FEWEST—132, 1971. MOST—158, 1969.
DOUBLE PLAYS, MOST—178, 1971. FEWEST—114, 1969.
FIVE OR MORE DOUBLE PLAYS, GAME—3 times, 1971 (Tied American League Record)

Individual Batting

AVERAGE—.301, Lou Piniella, 1970 and Amos Otis, 1971.
GAMES PLAYED—161, Paul Schaal, 1971. BY ROOKIE—135, Lou Piniella, 1969.
RUNS—91, Amos Otis, 1970.
HITS—176, Amos Otis, 1970.
TOTAL BASES—276, Bob Oliver, 1970.
ONE-BASE HITS—123, Lou Piniella, 1970.
TWO-BASE HITS—36, Amos Otis, 1970.
THREE-BASE HITS—11, Fred Patek, 1971.
HOME RUNS—27, Bob Oliver, 1970.
RUNS-BATTED-IN—99, Bob Oliver, 1970.
GAME WINNING HITS—14, Amos Otis, 1971.
PINCH-HIT AVERAGE—(10 at bats) .294, Gail Hopkins (5-for-17), 1971.
PINCH-HITS, MOST—13, Bob Taylor, 1969. AGAINST ONE CLUB—4, Taylor vs. Minnesota, 1969.
STOLEN BASES—52, Amos Otis, 1971.
STRIKEOUTS—126, Bob Oliver, 1970. FEWEST—(minimum 502 plate appearances) 42, Lou Piniella, 1970.
WALKS—103, Paul Schaal, 1971.
SACRIFICE FLIES—9, Lou Piniella, Joe Foy, 1969.
SACRIFICE HITS—9, Dick Drago, 1969, 1970.
HIT-BY-PITCHER—8, Ellie Rodriguez, 1969.
GROUNDED INTO DOUBLE PLAYS—24, Jerry Adair, 1969. FEWEST—(100 or more games) 2, Ed Kirkpatrick, 1969.

Individual Pitching

GAMES—67, Tom Burgmeier, 1971. BY ROOKIE—53, Jim York, 1971.
COMPLETE GAMES—15, Dick Drago, 1971.
STARTS—34, twice, Dick Drago, 1970 and 1971.
GAMES FINISHED—46, Ted Abernathy, 1971.
SHUTOUTS—4, twice, Bill Butler, 1969, and Dick Drago, 1971. OPP. VS. ROYALS—3, Wilbur Wood, 1971.
WINS—17, Dick Drago, 1971.
WINS, ONE CLUB—4, three times, Dick Drago vs. Cleveland (4-0) 1971 and vs. California (4-1) 1971 and Tom Burgmeier vs. Milwaukee (4-2) 1971.
WINS, RELIEF—11, Moe Drabowsky, 1969.
WON-LOST PCT., STARTER—.652, Mike Hedlund (15-8) 1971.
LOSSES—16, Jim Rooker, 1969.
INNINGS PITCHED—241.1, Dick Drago, 1971.
RUNS—110, Dick Drago, 1970.
EARNED RUNS—100, Dick Drago, 1970.
HITS—251, Dick Drago, 1971.
WALKS—102, Jim Rooker, 1970.
COMPLETE GAMES, NO WALKS—5, Dick Drago, 1971.
STRIKEOUTS—206, Bob Johnson, 1970.
ERA, STARTER—2.71, Mike Hedlund, 1971.
RELIEVER—1.74, Tom Burgmeier, 1971.
HOME RUNS—29, Wally Bunker, 1969.
SAVES—23, Ted Abernathy, 1971.
HIT BATSMEN—11, Bob Johnson, 1970.
WILD PITCHES—15, Al Fitzmorris, 1971.

Individual Fielding

DOUBLE PLAYS—FIRST BASEMAN—100, Bob Oliver, 1970, SECOND BASEMAN—76, Cookie Rojas, 1971, SHORTSTOP—107, Fred Patek, 1971. THIRD BASEMAN—31, Paul Schaal, 1971. OUTFIELDER—6, Amos Otis, 1970. CATCHER—12, Ed Kirkpatrick, 1970. PITCHER—9, Dick Drago, 1971. SHORTSTOP-SECOND BASEMAN TOGETHER—43, Fred Patek-Cookie Rojas, 1971.

Month

Club General

WINS—18, Aug., 1971.
BEST RECORD—18-12, Aug., 1971 (2-0, Oct., 1969).

Club Batting

HOME RUNS—20, May, 1969. OPP.—33, May, 1970.

Individual Batting

HOME RUNS—7, Bob Oliver, July, 1970.
RUNS BATTED IN—22, Bob Oliver, July, 1970.

Game

Club General

PLAYERS USED—27 (major league record), at California, Sept. 10, 1969. OPP.—27 (tied major league record), at Minnesota, Sept. 29, 1970. BOTH TEAMS—49 (major league record), Kansas City (22) at Minnesota (27), Sept. 29, 1970.
LONGEST GAME, TIME, 9 INNINGS, HOME—3:11, Baltimore, April 26, 1970. AWAY—3:19, Boston, Aug. 28, 1969.
SHORTEST, HOME—1:45, Seattle, Sept. 16, 1969 (1:35, California, Oct. 1, 1969, 5 innings). AWAY—1:35, Oakland, Sept. 28, 1971. (:48, Baltimore, July 30, 1971, 4½ innings).
LONGEST GAME, TIME, EXTRA-INNINGS, HOME—4:58, Cleveland, May 2, 1970, 17 innings. AWAY—4:14, at Washington, May 29, 1970, 12 innings.
SHORTEST, EXTRA INNINGS, HOME—2:30, Oakland, Sept. 17, 1969, 10 innings. AWAY—2:19, Chicago, Sept. 25, 1969, 10 innings.
LONGEST GAME, INNINGS, HOME—17, twice, Minnesota, April 9, 1969, and Cleveland, May 2, 1970. AWAY—13, three times, California, April 19, 1970, Milwaukee, Sept. 17, 1970, and Milwaukee, April 18, 1971, (second game).
LONGEST 1-0 WIN, 12 innings, at Cleveland, May 15, 1970.
BEST WINNING MARGIN—14 (15-1) at California, May 4, 1969. WORST LOSING MARGIN—12, twice, (4-16) vs. Oakland, June 18, 1969 (first game) and (0-12) vs. Milwaukee, May 22, 1971.
BEST SHUTOUT VICTORY—12-0, vs. California, Sept. 8, 1970.
WORST SHUTOUT LOSS—0-12, vs. Milwaukee, May 22, 1971.

Club Batting

RUNS—15, at California, May 4, 1969. OPP.—16, Oakland, June 18, 1969 (first game). BOTH TEAMS—27, Kansas City (14) at Minnesota (13), Sept. 29, 1970.
RUNS BATTED IN—13, twice, at California, May 4, 1969, and vs. Seattle, July 4, 1969 (first game). OPP.—16, Oakland, June 18, 1969 (first game). BOTH TEAMS—24, Kansas City (12) at Minnesota (12), Sept. 29, 1970.
HITS—20, at Minnesota, Sept. 29, 1970. OPP.—20, at Minnesota, Sept. 29, 1970. BOTH TEAMS—40, Kansas City (20) at Minnesota (20), Sept. 29, 1970.
SINGLES—18, at Minnesota, Sept. 29, 1970. OPP.—18, at Minnesota, Sept. 29, 1970. BOTH TEAMS—36, Kansas City (18) at Minnesota (18), Sept. 29, 1970.
DOUBLES—6, twice, vs. California, June 28, 1970 (second game), and vs. Baltimore, May 1, 1971. OPP.—6, twice, New York, June 1, 1969, and Boston, Aug. 16, 1969 (first game). BOTH TEAMS—9, California (5) at Kansas City (4), April 15, 1971.
TRIPLES—2, numerous times, latest, vs. Minnesota, Sept. 26, 1971. OPP.—4, Boston, Aug. 24, 1971. BOTH TEAMS—6, Boston (4) at Kansas City (2), Aug. 24, 1971.
HOME RUNS—4, twice, at Chicago, Sept. 28, 1969 (Kirkpatrick 2, Northey, Oliver) and vs. Baltimore, April, 24, 1970 (Oliver 2, Otis, Hernandez). OPP.—4, five times, latest at Cleveland, July 24, 1970. BOTH TEAMS—7, Baltimore (3), at Kansas City (4), April 24, 1970.
EXTRA BASE HITS—7, twice, vs. Chicago, Sept. 20, 1969 (1 HR, 2 3B 4 2B), and vs. California, June 28, 1970, (6 2B, 1 HR). OPP.—8, Minnesota, May 20, 1970 (4 HR, 1 3B, 3 2B). BOTH TEAMS—14, Minnesota (8) at Kansas City (6), May 20, 1970.
TOTAL BASES—30, at California, May 4, 1969 (3 HR, 2 2B, 14 1B). OPP.—30, Minnesota, May 20, 1970 (4 HR, 1 3B, 3 2B, 5 1B). BOTH TEAMS—51, Minnesota (4 HR, 1 3B, 3 2B, 5 1B) at Kansas City (2 HR, 1 3B, 3 2B, 4 1B), May 20, 1970.
LEFT ON BASE—13, numerous times. OPP.—15, at California, Sept. 10, 1969. BOTH TEAMS—26, Kansas City (11) at California (15), Sept. 10, 1969. FEWEST—0, vs. Cleveland, July 18, 1970. OPP.—0, twice, at Minnesota, July 2, 1970, and at Baltimore, July 30, 1971 (4½ innings). BOTH TEAMS—3, Boston (2) at Kansas City (1), Aug. 23, 1970. (2, Kansas (2) at Baltimore, (0) July 30, 1971, 4½ innings). EXTRA INNINGS—19, twice, vs. New York, May 30. 1969

(second game), 15 innings and vs. Cleveland, May 2, 1970, 17 innings. OPP.—16, twice, at Washington, May 29, 1970, 12 innings and Boston, Aug. 24, 1971, 13 innings. BOTH TEAMS—32, twice, Cleveland (13), at Kansas City (19), May 2, 1970, 17 innings, and Boston (16) at Kansas City (16), Aug. 24, 1971, 13 innings. FEWEST—3, twice, at Boston, June 6, 1969, 11 innings, and vs. Oakland, Sept. 13, 1971, 11 innings. OPP.—2, Oakland, June 16, 1969 (second game), 12 innings. BOTH TEAMS—6, Kansas City (3) at Boston (3), June 6, 1969, 11 innings.

PINCH-HITTERS USED—6, twice, at Minnesota, June 27, 1969, and vs. Seattle, Sept. 15, 1969.

PINCH-RUNNERS USED—3, twice, at Boston, Aug. 28, 1969, and at Minnesota, Sept. 14, 1969.

TIMES STRIKING OUT—14, at Cleveland (vs. Sam McDowell), Aug. 10, 1969. EXTRA INNINGS—17, vs. Cleveland, May 2, 1970 (17 innings).

WALKS RECEIVED—11, vs. Cleveland, April 23, 1971. EXTRA INNINGS—13, vs. Cleveland, May 2, 1970 (17 innings).

INTENTIONAL WALKS RECEIVED—4, vs. New York, May 30, 1969 (second game).

STOLEN BASES—7, vs. New York, May 30, 1969 (second game)

Club Pitching

PITCHERS USED—7, three times, at Washington, May 29, 1970, at Minnesota, Sept. 29, 1970, and at Detroit, July 27, 1971. OPP.—6, numerous times. BOTH TEAMS—13, Kansas City (7) at Minnesota (6), Sept. 29, 1970.

STRIKEOUTS—12, four times, latest vs. Boston, Aug. 23, 1970. EXTRA INNINGS—17, vs. Cleveland, May 2, 1970, 17 innings.

WALKS—10, four times, latest at Chicago, Sept. 3, 1971 (second game). EXTRA INNINGS—11, twice, at Washington, May 29, 1970, 12 innings, and vs. Baltimore, July 22, 1970, 13 innings.

HIT BATSMEN—4, vs. Minnesota, Apr. 13, 1971.

Club Fielding

DOUBLE PLAYS—6, vs. Oakland, May 14, 1971. OPP.—6, Oakland, Sept. 13, 1970 (first game). BOTH TEAMS—9, Oakland (3) at Kansas City (6), May 14, 1971 (tied major league record).

TRIPLE PLAYS—0. OPP.—1, twice, at Baltimore, Aug. 6, 1969, and California, June 26, 1970.

ERRORS—5, vs. Minnesota, June 21, 1970. OPP.—4, three times, at Chicago, July 20, 1969 (second game), Cleveland, May 2, 1970, 17 innings, and at California, April 8, 1971. BOTH TEAMS—8, Cleveland (4) at Kansas City (4), May 2, 1970, 17 innings.

Individual Batting

HITS—6, Bob Oliver at California, May 4, 1969 (4 1B, 2B, HR).

RUNS SCORED—4, Amos Otis at Boston, May 31, 1971 (second game).

AT BATS—8, Jack Hernandez vs. New York, May 30, 1969 (second game), 15 innings.

BEST PERFECT DAY—6-for-6, Bob Oliver at California, May 4, 1969.

HIT FOR CYCLE—Fred Patek at Minnesota, July 9, 1971.

SINGLES—4, numerous times.

DOUBLES—2, numerous times.

TRIPLES—2, twice, Scott Northey vs. Chicago, Sept. 20, 1969, and Rich Severson vs. Minnesota, Sept. 26, 1971 (second game).

HOME RUNS—2, numerous times, latest, Bob Oliver at Oakland, Sept. 29, 1971.

TOTAL BASES—12, Ed Kirkpatrick vs. California, Sept. 30, 1969.

EXTRA BASE HITS—3, five times, latest Fred Patek at Minnesota, July 9, 1971.

RUNS BATTED IN—6, Ed Kirkpatrick vs. California, Sept. 30, 1969.

STOLEN BASES—5, Amos Otis vs. Milwaukee, Sept. 7, 1971.

WALKS—4, Paul Schaal at Milwaukee, April 17, 1971.

STRIKEOUTS—4, numerous times. EXTRA INNINGS—4, twice, latest, Ellie Rodriguez vs. New York, June 13, 1970.

Individual Pitching

STRIKEOUTS—12, Bob Johnson vs. Boston, Aug. 23, 1970.

WALKS—9, Dick Drago vs. Milwaukee, May 22, 1970.

HOME RUNS—3, several times.

Individual Fielding

DOUBLE PLAYS—FIRST BASEMAN—6, Bob Oliver vs. Oakland, May 14, 1971. SECOND BASEMAN, 4, twice, Cookie Rojas vs. Washington, Aug. 30, 1970, and vs. Oakland, May 14, 1971. SHORTSTOP—4, four times, Jack Hernandez at Washington, Aug. 13, 1969, Tommy Matchick vs. Washington, Aug. 30, 1970, Fred Patek vs. Oakland, May 14, 1971, and Patek vs. Boston, June 12, 1971. THIRD BASEMAN—3, Paul Schaal vs. Cleveland, April 25, 1971.

DOUBLE PLAYS STARTED—SECOND BASEMAN—3, Cookie Rojas vs. Washington, Aug. 22, 1971. SHORTSTOP—3, twice, Tommy Matchick vs. Washington, Aug. 30, 1970, and at Minnesota, Sept. 29, 1970. THIRD BASEMAN—3, Paul Schaal vs. Cleveland, April 25, 1971.

DOUBLE PLAYS, SHORTSTOP—SECOND BASEMAN TOGETHER—3, numerous times.

PUTOUTS, OUTFIELDER—8, Pat Kelly at Oakland, Sept. 8, 1969 (right field). EXTRA INNINGS—8, twice, Pat Kelly vs. New York, May 30, 1969 (centerfield, 15 innings, second game) and Amos Otis vs. California, April 15, 1971 (centerfield, 11 innings).
PUTOUTS, FIRST BASEMAN—19, Bob Oliver vs. Cleveland, April 24, 1971. EXTRA INNINGS—18, Ed Kirkpatrick vs. Cleveland, May 2, 1970 (17 innings).
PUTOUTS, CATCHER—17, Jimmy Campanis vs. Cleveland, May 2, 1970, 17 innings (18 total chances).
ASSISTS, SECOND BASEMAN—8, five times, latest, Cookie Rojas vs. Cleveland, April 24, 1971.
ASSISTS, THIRD BASEMAN—7, three times, latest, Paul Schaal vs. California, June 20, 1971 (first game).
ASSISTS, SHORTSTOP—10, Fred Patek vs. Washington, Aug. 22, 1971.

Doubleheader

Club General

PLAYERS USED, BOTH GAMES 9 INNINGS—22, vs. Minnesota, Sept. 25, 1971. OPP.—25, at Chicago, Sept. 21, 1970. BOTH TEAMS—44, twice, Kansas City (19) at Chicago (25), Sept. 21, 1970, and Milwaukee (23) at Kansas City (21), Sept. 6, 1971.
PLAYERS USED, ONE OR BOTH GAMES EXTRA INNINGS—Less than 9-inning record. OPP.—Less than 9-inning record. BOTH TEAMS—Less than 9-inning record.
LONGEST, INNINGS—25, vs. Oakland, June 16, 1969 (first game 13 innings, second game 12 innings).
LONGEST, TIME, BOTH GAMES 9 INNINGS—5 hours, 42 minutes, at Chicago, Sept. 3, 1971, (first game, 2:19; second game 3:23).
LONGEST, TIME, ONE OR BOTH GAMES EXTRA INNINGS—7 hours, 35 minutes, vs. Oakland, Sept. 13, 1970 (first game 3:40; second game 3:55).
SHORTEST, TIME—4 hours, 13 minutes, at Seattle, June 20, 1969 (first game, 2:23; second game, 1:50).

Club Batting

RUNS—16, three times, vs. Seattle, July 4, 1969 (13 first game) vs. Oakland, Sept. 13, 1970 (8 each game) and at Boston, May 31, 1971 (7 first game). OPP.—25, Oakland, June 18, 1969 (16 first game). BOTH CLUBS—31, Kansas City (6) vs. Oakland (25), June 18, 1969 (20 first game). FEWEST—2, vs. Minnesota, Sept. 25, 1971 (2 first game). OPP.—1, Minnesota, Aug. 4, 1971 (1 first game). BOTH CLUBS—5, Kansas City (3) at Washington (2), Aug. 12, 1971 (2 first game).
HITS—31, vs. Oakland, Sept. 13, 1970 (17 first game). OPP.—27, Washington, Sept. 20, 1971 (10 first game). BOTH CLUBS—53, Oakland (22) at Kansas City (31), Sept. 13, 1970 (28 first game).
HOME RUNS—4, at Cleveland, July 24, 1970 (2 first game). OPP.—5, at Cleveland, July 26, 1970 (2 first game). BOTH CLUBS—8, Kansas City (4) at Cleveland (4), July 24, 1970 (2 first game).
RUNS BATTED-IN—16, three times, vs. Seattle, July 4, 1969 (13 first game), vs. Oakland, Sept. 13, 1970 (8 each game), and at Boston, May 31, 1971 (7 first game). OPP.—25, Oakland, June 18, 1969 (16 first game). BOTH CLUBS—30, Oakland (25) at Kansas City (5), June 18, 1969 (19 first game).
TIMES STRIKING OUT—16, vs. Detroit, Sept. 1, 1969 (6 first game). OPP.—22, at Milwaukee, April 18, 1971 (7 first game). BOTH CLUBS—37, Kansas City (15) at Milwaukee (22), April 18, 1971 (12 first game).

Club Pitching

PITCHERS USED—8, vs. Oakland, June 18, 1969 (4 each game). OPP.—8, at Chicago, Sept. 21, 1970 (3 first game). BOTH CLUBS—14, Kansas City (6) at Chicago (8), Sept. 21, 1970 (7 each game).
PITCHERS USED, ONE OR BOTH GAMES EXTRA INNINGS—7, at Chicago, July 20, 1969 (5 first game). OPP.—7, four times, latest, Detroit, July 18, 1971 (5 first game). BOTH CLUBS—14, Kansas City (7) at Chicago (7), July 20, 1969 (11 first game).
FEWEST PITCHERS USED—2, vs. Minnesota, Aug. 4, 1971. OPP.—2, twice, latest, Minnesota, Sept. 25, 1971. BOTH TEAMS—5, Minnesota (3) at Kansas City (2), Aug. 4, 1971 (3 first game).

Club Fielding

DOUBLE PLAYS—5, three times, vs. Minnesota, June 29, 1969 (2 first game), vs. Milwaukee, Sept. 10, 1970 (4 first game), and vs. Minnesota, Sept. 25, 1971 (5 first game). OPP.—8, Oakland, Sept. 13, 1970 (6 first game).

Individual Batting

HITS—5, seven times, latest, Cookie Rojas vs. California, June 20, 1971 (2 first game).
HOME RUNS—2, six times, latest, Amos Otis at Boston, May 31, 1971 (1 each game).
TOTAL BASES—10, five times, latest, Amos Otis at Boston, May 31, 1971 (4 first game).

RUNS BATTED IN—6, twice, Lou Piniella, vs. Oakland, Sept. 13, 1970 (2 first game), and Amos Otis at Boston, May 31, 1971 (3 first game). OPP.—6, Tony Oliva, Minnesota, June 29, 1969 (1 first game).

Individual Pitching

PITCHERS IN BOTH GAMES, WON OR LOST—WON ONE—four times, latest, Tom Burgmeier vs. Milwaukee, Sept. 6, 1971 (saved first game, won second). LOST ONE—Ted Abernathy vs. Detroit, July 19, 1970 (appeared in first game, lost second). WON ONE, LOST ONE—Tom Burgmeier at Milwaukee, April 18, 1971 (won first game, lost second).

Individual Fielding

DOUBLE PLAYS-FIRST BASEMAN—5, twice, Bob Oliver vs. Milwaukee, Sept. 10, 1970, and Gail Hopkins vs. Milwaukee, Sept. 25, 1971. SECOND BASEMAN-SHORTSTOP TOGETHER—4, shortstop Bob Floyd and second baseman Rich Severson vs. Minnesota, Sept. 25, 1971.

Inning

Club Batting

PLATE APPEARANCES—14, at California, Sept. 22, 1971 (ninth inning).
RUNS—9, at California, Sept. 22, 1971 (ninth inning). OPP.—9, at Detroit, July 26, 1969 (fourth inning).
HITS—9, vs. California, Sept. 8, 1970 (second inning). OPP.—8, Chicago, Sept. 21, 1969 (third inning).
HOME RUNS—2, numerous times. OPP.—2, numerous times.
TOTAL BASES—13, vs. Cleveland, April 25, 1971 (first inning).
STOLEN BASES—3, four times, latest, vs. Washington, Aug. 22, 1971 (first inning).
PINCH HITTERS USED—3, numerous times.

Club Pitching

PITCHERS USED—5, vs. Oakland, May 14, 1971 (ninth inning).

Individual Batting

HITS—2, four times, Bob Oliver at California, May 4, 1969 (seventh inning), Oliver and Lou Piniella, vs. California, Sept. 8, 1970 (second inning) and Chuck Harrison at California, Sept. 22, 1971 (ninth inning).
HOME RUNS—1, many times.

Individual Pitching

STRIKEOUTS—3, numerous times.
HOME RUNS ALLOWED—2, numerous times.

Consecutive

Club General

GAMES WON—6, twice, May 28-June 5, 1971 and June 8-14, 1971.
GAMES LOST—8, July 25 (second game)-Aug. 3, 1971.
WON, HOME—6, June 8-14, 1971. AWAY—6, May 28-June 5, 1971.
LOST, HOME—8, April 10-29, 1970. AWAY—7, twice, latest, Sept. 2-18, 1970.
DOUBLEHEADERS WON—2, five times, latest, Sept. 3 and Sept. 6, 1971.
ONE-RUN GAMES PLAYED—6, July 25-30, 1971.
ONE-RUN GAMES WON—4, May 23-27, 1969.
WON ONE CLUB, HOME-AWAY—12, Boston, Aug. 23, 1970-Aug. 25, 1971. LOST—23, Baltimore, May 10, 1969-Aug. 2, 1970. (major league record).
WON ONE CLUB, HOME—6, Boston, Aug. 23, 1970-Aug. 25, 1971. LOST—12, Baltimore, 1969-1970. WON AWAY—8, Boston, Aug. 12, 1970 (second game)—through 1971 season. LOST AWAY—11, Baltimore, 1969-1970.
WON, EXTRA INNINGS—7, April 19-May 17, 1970.

Club Batting

HITS, ONE GAME—6, vs. Milwaukee, Sept. 8, 1971. OPP.—6, twice, Chicago, Sept. 21, 1969, and vs. New York, Aug. 29, 1971.
GAMES, MOST HITS, TWO GAMES—31, Sept. 13, 1970.THREE GAMES—39, twice, June 27-29, 1969, and Sept. 12-13, 1970. FOUR GAMES—47, Aug. 21-25, 1971. OPP., TWO GAMES—30, June 22-23, 1971. THREE GAMES—41, Sept. 19-21, 1969. FOUR GAMES—50, twice, Sept. 19-22, 1969, and April 24-29, 1970.
GAMES, MOST RUNS, TWO GAMES—22, May 4-6, 1969. THREE GAMES—24, twice, May 4-7, 1969, and Sept. 28-Oct. 1, 1969. OPP., TWO GAMES—25, June 18, 1969. THREE GAMES—30, twice, June 18-20, 1969, and June 22-25, 1971.
GAMES HOME RUNS HIT—9, May 25-June 6, 1971 (14 homers). OPP.—9, June 11-20, 1969 (11 homers).

GAMES, MOST HOME RUNS, TWO GAMES—5, April 24-25, 1970. THREE GAMES—7, April 24-26, 1970. FOUR GAMES—9, April 24-28, 1970. FIVE GAMES—10, April 22-28, 1970. OPP., TWO GAMES—6, twice, May 9-10, 1970, and July 28-29, 1971. THREE GAMES—8, May 8-10, 1970. FOUR GAMES—10, twice, May 7-10, 1970, and July 24-26, 1970. FIVE GAMES—11, July 24-28, 1970.
GAMES, HOME RUNS HIT, VS. ONE CLUB—5, vs. Cleveland, 1970. OPP.—8, by Boston, 1969.
BATTERS HITTING HOME RUNS—2, numerous times, latest, Fred Patek and Paul Schaal at Minnesota, July 9, 1971. OPP.—2, numerous times, latest Ron Blomberg and Danny Cater vs. New York, Aug. 29, 1971.
BATTERS ON BASE—8, vs. Milwaukee, Sept. 8, 1971 (6 singles, 1 triple, 1 walk).

Club Pitching

SHUTOUTS WON—2, three times, latest at Washington, Aug. 11-12 (first game), 1971.
SHUTOUTS VS. ONE CLUB—2, twice, Chicago, July 10 (second game) —11, 1970, and at Washington, Aug. 11-12 (first game), 1971.
INNINGS, NO OPP. HOME RUNS—135, July 7-22, 1970.
GAMES, NO OPP. HOME RUNS—14, July 7-22, 1970.
INNINGS, NO OPP. EXTRA BASE HITS—34, June 11-15, 1971.
GAMES, NO OPP. EXTRA BASE HITS—3, twice, July 10-11, 1970, and June 12-14, 1971.
COMPLETE GAMES—3, three times, Aug. 20-23, 1969 (Bill Butler vs. New York, Jim Rooker vs. Washington, Wally Bunker vs. Washington), Sept. 1-3, 1970 (Wally Bunker, Bob Johnson, Jim Rooker, all at California), and Sept. 16-18, 1971 (Dick Drago vs. California, Mike Hedlund at Minnesota, Al Fitzmorris at Minnesota).
SCORELESS INNINGS PITCHED—24, three times, vs. California and Milwaukee, Sept. 7-10, 1970, vs. Chicago and at Milwaukee, July 5-7, 1971, at Washington, Aug. 10-12, 1971. AGAINST ROYALS —26, at New York, vs. Detroit, Oakland, June 11-16, 1969.
SCORELESS INNINGS ONE CLUB—24, at Washington, Aug. 10-12, 1971. AGAINST ROYALS—27, by Milwaukee, April 18 (second game)-July 6, 1971.
HITLESS INNINGS, ONE GAME—8-2/3, at Chicago, Sept. 25, 1969 (start of second inning until 2 out in the 10th).
HITLESS INNINGS, START OF GAME—8, at New York, June 4, 1970.
PERFECT INNINGS, START OF GAME—6, at Baltimore, May 9, 1969.

Club Fielding

GAMES MAKING DOUBLE PLAYS—10, Sept. 4-13, (first game) 1970 (17 double plays). OPP.—10, July 29-Aug. 7 (first game) 1971 (16 double plays.)
INNINGS MAKING DOUBLE PLAYS—3, five times, latest vs. Oakland, Sept. 13, 1971 (first, second and third inning).
GAMES NO ERRORS—8, July 17-23, 1971.
INNINGS NO ERRORS—82, July 16-24, 1971.
GAMES MAKING ERRORS—11, Sept. 5-15, 1971.

Individual General

GAMES PLAYED—161, Paul Schaal, April 6, 1971—through end of season.

Individual Batting

GAMES ONE OR MORE HITS—18, Lou Piniella, July 11-29, 1971.
GAMES MOST HITS, TWO GAMES—8, twice, Ed Kirkpatrick, Sept. 28-30, 1969, and Amos Otis, May 1-2, 1970. THREE GAMES—10, Amos Otis, April 30-May 2, 1970. FOUR GAMES—11, twice, Bob Oliver, May 2-4, 1969, and Amos Otis, April 29-May 2, 1970. FIVE GAMES—13, Amos Otis, April 28-May 2, 1970.
GAMES MOST EXTRA BASE HITS, TWO GAMES—6, Ed Kirkpatrick, Sept. 28-30, 1969 (4 HR, 1 3B, 1 2B).
GAMES ONE OR MORE EXTRA BASE HITS—7, Amos Otis, April 24-May 1, 1970 (2 HR, 3 3B, 2 2B).
TOTAL GAMES HITTING, MOST HITS—26, Lou Piniella, 13 games, July 3-13, 1969.
TOTAL GAMES HITTING, BEST AVERAGE—.556, Lou Piniella, 1971 (8 games, AB 27, H 15).
CONSECUTIVE HITS—8, Amos Otis, April 30-May 2, 1970 (3 walks).
TIMES REACHING FIRST BASE—11, Amos Otis, April 30-May 2, 1970 (8 hits, 3 walks).
GAMES RUNS BATTED IN, TWO GAMES—9, Ed Kirkpatrick, Sept. 28-30, 1969. THREE GAMES—11, Ed Kirkpatrick, Sept. 28-Oct. 1, 1969.
TIMES AT BAT HOME RUNS, SAME BATTER—2, numerous times, latest, Bob Oliver at Oakland, Sept. 29, 1971.
GAMES WALKING—7, three times, latest, Paul Schaal, June 18-23, 1971.
PINCH-HITS—3, three times, latest, Gail Hopkins, 1971.

Individual Pitching

GAMES WON—6, Ted Abernathy, July 28-Sept. 29, 1970.
GAMES WON, STARTER—4, five times, Dick Drago, Aug. 30-Sept. 14, 1969; Drago, April 17-May 31, 1971; Bruce Dal Canton, April 27-May 15, 1971; Al Fitzmorris, July 21-Aug. 14, 1971; Mike Hedlund, Aug. 10 (second game)-28, 1971.

GAMES LOST—8, three times, Bill Butler, April 25-July 10, 1970; Wally Bunker, April 7-Aug. 26, 1970; Dick Drago, June 29-Aug. 14, 1970.
COMPLETE GAMES—7, Dick Drago, July 15-Aug. 13, 1971.
GAMES IN RELIEF—6, Ted Abernathy, Sept. 13 (first game)-20, 1970.
GAMES STARTED, WON, ONE CLUB, ONE PITCHER—5, Dick Drago vs. Cleveland, Aug. 1, 1969-through 1971 season.
COMPLETE GAMES, ONE CLUB—5, Dick Drago vs. California, April 6, 1971-through end of season.
HITLESS INNINGS, START OF GAME—8, Jim Rooker at New York, June 4, 1970.
SHUTOUT GAMES—2, Dick Drago, June 12 and 17, 1971 (vs. Boston, 7-0, vs. California, 5-0).
SCORELESS INNINGS, STARTER—20, Wally Bunker, Aug. 26-Sept. 6, 1970. RELIEF—16, Moe Drabowsky, April 8-22, 1969.
SCORELESS INNINGS VS. ONE CLUB—18, Ken Wright vs. Washington, May 28-Aug. 12 (first game), 1971.
INNINGS NO HOME RUNS—112, Dick Drago, Sept. 17, 1970-June 22, 1971. RELIEF—53, Tom Burgmeier, Sept. 11, 1970-July 11 (first game), 1971.
INNINGS NO WALKS ISSUED—22, Dick Drago, Sept. 5-17, 1970.
HOME RUNS OFF—2, numerous times.
STRIKEOUTS—5, Jim York at Cleveland, July 24, 1971.
BATTERS RETIRED—19, Dave Morehead vs. Chicago, May 25, 1970 (first 3 batters singled, then streak started).
BATTERS RETIRED, START OF GAME—18, Dick Drago, at Baltimore, May 9, 1969.

Individual Fielding

GAMES NO ERRORS, FIRST BASEMAN—32, Chuck Harrison, April 8-June 21, 1969. SECOND BASEMAN—52, Cookie Rojas, April 10-June 17, 1971 (165 assists, 119 putouts). SHORTSTOP—26, Tommy Matchick, June 26-Aug. 24, 1970. THIRD BASEMAN—35, Joe Foy, Aug. 9-Sept. 15, 1969. OUTFIELDER—165, Amos Otis, July 18, 1970-July 29, 1971. CATCHER—46, Jerry May, April 5-July 11 (second game), 1971. PITCHER—76, Moe Drabowsky, all 1969-June 14, 1970.
INNINGS MAKING DOUBLE PLAYS, FIRST BASEMAN—3, five times, latest, Chuck Harrison at Minnesota, Sept. 18, 1971. SECOND BASEMAN—3, three times, latest, Bob Floyd at Minnesota, Sept. 18, 1971. SHORTSTOP—3, twice, latest,Fred Patek at Minnesota, Sept. 17, 1971. THIRD BASEMAN—3, Paul Schaal vs. Cleveland, April 25, 1971.
GAMES IN DOUBLE PLAYS, FIRST BASEMAN—9, Bob Oliver, Sept. 4-12, 1970. SECOND BASEMAN—8, Cookie Rojas, Sept. 4-11, 1970. SHORTSTOP, 4, four times, latest, Fred Patek, Sept. 15-18, 1971.
PUTOUTS, GAME, OUTFIELDER—4, Pat Kelly at Oakland, Sept. 8, 1969.

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KANSAS CITY MAJOR LEAGUE STANDINGS

Athletics

YEAR	POSITION	WON	LOST	PCT.	GB	ATTENDANCE
1955	Sixth	63	91	.409	33	1,393,054
1956	Eighth	52	102	.338	45	1,105,154
1957	Seventh	59	94	.386	38½	901,067
1958	Seventh	73	81	.474	19	925,090
1959	Seventh	66	88	.429	28	963,683
1960	Eighth	58	96	.377	39	774,944
1961	Ninth	61	100	.379	47½	683,817
1962	Ninth	72	90	.444	24	635,675
1963	Eighth	73	89	.451	48	762,364
1964	Tenth	57	105	.352	42	642,480
1965	Tenth	59	103	.364	43	528,344
1966	Seventh	74	86	.463	23	773,929
1967	Tenth	62	99	.385	29½	726,639

Royals

YEAR	POSITION	WON	LOST	PCT.	GB	ATTENDANCE
1969	*Fourth	69	93	.426	28	902,183
1970	*Fourth(Tied)	65	97	.401	33	693,047
1971	*Second	85	76	.528	16	910,784

*Western Division

KANSAS CITY ATTENDANCE RECORDS

	Attendance	Opponent	Date
Season	1,393,054		1955
Single Game	35,623	Oakland	Aug. 3, 1971
Doubleheader	35,295	California	June 20, 1971
Night Game	35,623	Oakland	Aug. 3, 1971
Single Day	34,065	New York	Aug. 27, 1961
Opening Day	32,728	Minnesota	April 12, 1971

ROYALS ATTENDANCE HIGHS

	Attendance	Opponent	Date
Single Game	35,623	Oakland	Aug. 3, 1971
Day Game	30,035	Milwaukee	May 24, 1970
Night Game	35,623	Oakland	Aug. 3, 1971
Day Doubleheader	35,295	California	June 20, 1971
T-N Doubleheader	18,248	Oakland	June 18, 1969
Opening Day	32,728	Minnesota	April 12, 1971
5-Game Series	70,261	California	June 17-20, 1971
4-Game Series	49,099	New York	May 30-June 1, 1969
3-Game Series	56,872	Baltimore	May 16-18, 1969
2-Game Series	50,149	Oakland	Aug. 2-3, 1971
Memorial Day	22,335 (DH)	New York	May 30, 1969
Independence Day	12,944 (DH)	Seattle	July 4, 1969
Labor Day	12,253 (DH)	Detroit	Sept. 1, 1969
Week Night	35,623	Oakland	Aug. 3, 1971
Week Day	18,129	Oakland	April 7, 1970
Saturday Day	16,747	Oakland	April 19, 1969
Saturday Night	21,557	Boston	June 12, 1971
Sunday	35,295	California	June 20, 1971
Road Game	59,348	New York	June 6, 1971

ROYALS TOP TEN HOME CROWDS

Date	Opponent	Attendance
Aug. 3, 1971	Oakland	35,623
June 20, 1971	California	35,295
April 12, 1971	Minnesota	32,728
April 20, 1969	Oakland	31,872
May 24, 1970	Milwaukee	30,035
May 2, 1971	Baltimore	29,120
May 18, 1969	Baltimore	28,944
May 23, 1971	Milwaukee	26,765
July 6, 1969	Seattle	26,480
July 18, 1971	Detroit	26,182

KANSAS CITY MAJOR LEAGUE RECORDS

(Bold Face Indicates Royals)

TEAM BATTING

Players			
Most	52		1955,61
Fewest	**35**		**1971**
Games			
Most	163		1964,**70**
Errorless, Consecutive	8		1960,64,**71**
Won, Consecutive	11		1959
Lost, Consecutive	13		1959
Runs	20	(Minn)	April 25,1961
Runs, By Opponent	26	(Chi)	April 23,1955
Hits, 9 Ings.	21	(Wash)	June 13,1956
	21	(Chi)	May 23,1959
	21	(Cle)	May 5,1962
Hits, Ext. Ings.	26	(NY) (14 innings)	July 27,1956
Consecutive, One or More			
Home Runs	11	(13 Home Runs)	1964
Total Bases, 9 Ings.	34	(Wash)	June 13,1956
	34	(Chi)	May 23,1959
	34	(Cleve)	May 5,1962
Total Bases, Ext. Ings.	36	(NY) (14 innings)	July 27,1956
Consecutive, One or More			
At-Bats	5576		1962
Runs			
Season	745		1962
Opponent	911		1955
Inning	13	(Chi) (2nd inning)	April 21, 1956
Hits	1467		1962
Singles	1073		1962
Doubles	231		1959
Triples	59		1965
Home Runs			
Team	166		1957,64
Bases Filled	4		1958,59,60
Pinch Hitters	7		1964
Game	5	(Cleve)	April 18,1955
	5	(Cleve)	April 24,1957
	5	(Balt)	Sept. 9,1958
Total Bases	2151		1962
Long Hits	411		1964
Extra Bases on Long Hits	773		1957
Sacrifices	89		1961
Sacrifice Flies	**59**		**1971**
Stolen Bases	132		1966,67
Caught Stealing			
Most	70		**1969**
Fewest	11		1960
Bases On Balls	580		1961
Strikeouts	1104		1964
Hit By Pitcher			
Most	43		**1969**
Fewest	12		1960
Runs Batted In	691		1962
Batting Average			
Highest	.263		1959,62
Lowest	.233		1967
Slugging Average			
Highest	.394		1957
Lowest	.330		1967
Grounded Into Double Plays			
Most	154		1960
Fewest	79		1967
Left On Base			
Most	1224		1962
Fewest	925		1957
.300 Hitters	4		1955

TEAM PITCHING

Shutouts			
Won	**15**		**1971**
Lost	19		1967
Most Runs, Game	16	(Chi)	May 23, 1959
Most Runs, Opponent, Game	16	(Det)	April 17, 1955
	16	(Bos)	Aug. 26, 1957

TEAM FIELDING

Errors			
Most	175		1961
Fewest	125		1957,58
Double Plays			
Season	187		1956
Consecutive Games	10	(18 double plays)	1957
Passed Balls	34		1958
Fielding Average			
Highest	.980		1963
Lowest	.972		1961

INDIVIDUAL BATTING

Average

Player	Pct.	Year
Vic Power	.319	1955
Vic Power	.309	1956
Norm Siebern	.308	1962
Bob Cerv	.305	1958
Amos Otis	**.301**	**1971**
Lou Piniella	**.301**	**1970**
Jerry Lumpe	.301	1962
Manny Jimenez	.301	1962

Runs

Player	No.	Year
Norm Siebern	114	1962
Dick Howser	108	1961
Bob Cerv	93	1958
Amos Otis	**91**	**1970**
Vic Power	91	1955
Hector Lopez	91	1956

Hits

Player	No.	Year
Jerry Lumpe	193	1962
Vic Power	190	1955
Norm Siebern	185	1962
Amos Otis	**176**	**1970**
Dick Howser	171	1961

Home Runs

Player	No.	Year
Bob Cerv	38	1958
Rocky Colavito	34	1964
Gus Zernial	30	1955
Jim Gentile	28	1964
Bob Oliver	**27**	**1970**
Gus Zernial	27	1957

Runs Batted In

Player	No.	Year
Norm Siebern	117	1962
Harry Simpson	105	1956
Bob Cerv	104	1958
Rocky Colavito	102	1964
Bob Oliver	**99**	**1970**

Stolen Bases

Player	No.	Year
Bert Campaneris	55	1967
Amos Otis	**52**	**1971**
Bert Campaneris	52	1966
Bert Campaneris	51	1965
Fred Patek	**49**	**1971**

Doubles	Norm Siebern	36	1961
	Amos Otis	**36**	**1970**
Triples	Gino Cimoli	15	1962
Home Runs			
Right-handed Batter	Bob Cerv	38	1958
Left-handed Batter	Jim Gentile	28	1964
Rookie Season	Ed Charles	17	1962
Season, Home	Rocky Colavito	22	1964
Season, Road	Bob Cerv	17	1958
One month	Rocky Colavito	10	May, 1964
Caught Stealing	Bert Campaneris	19	1965
Strikeouts			
Most	Nelson Mathews	143	1964
Fewest	Vic Power	27	1955
Hitting Streak (Games)	Hector Lopez	22	1957
	Vic Power	22	1958
Games	Norm Siebern	162	1962
At-bats	Jerry Lumpe	641	1962
Total Bases	Bob Cerv	305	1958
Long Hits	Rocky Colavito	67	1964
Extra Bases on Long Hits	Bob Cerv	148	1958
Sacrifices	Dick Williams	11	1959
Sacrifice Flies	Leo Posado	12	1961
Bases On Balls	Norm Siebern	110	1962
Hit By Pitcher	Bobby Del Greco	13	1962
Slugging Average	Bob Cerv	.592	1958
Grounded Into Double Plays			
Most	**Jerry Adair**	**24**	**1969**
Fewest	Norm Siebern	4	1961

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Wins

Player	No.	Year
Dick Drago	**17**	**1971**
Bud Daley	16	1959
Bud Daley	16	1960
Mike Hedlund	**15**	**1971**
Ray Herbert	14	1960
Ed Rakow	14	1962
Lew Krausse	14	1966

Strikeouts

Player	No.	Year
Bob Johnson	**206**	**1970**
Jim Hunter	196	1967
Orlando Pena	184	1964
Bill Butler	**156**	**1969**
Diego Segui	155	1964

Hit Batsmen	Johnny Kucks	12	1959
Wild Pitches	**Al Fitzmorris**	**15**	**1971**
Home Runs Allowed	Orlando Pena	40	1964
Earned Run Average	**Mike Hedlund**	**2.71**	**1971**

PITCHING

Games			
Complete	**Dick Drago**	**15**	**1971**
Started	Bud Daley	35	1960
	Ed Rakow	35	1962
	Diego Segui	35	1964
	Jim Hunter	35	1967
Finished	John Wyatt	57	1964
	Jack Aker	57	1966
Appearances	John Wyatt	81	1964
Lost	Art Ditmar	22	1956
Percentage	**Mike Hedlund**	**.652(15-8)**	**1971**
Won, Consecutive	Bud Daley	9	1960
Lost, Consecutive	Troy Herriage	11	1956
Innings	Jim Hunter	260	1967
Bases On Balls	Art Ditmar	108	1956
Strikeouts			
9 Inning game	Jim Nash	12	July 13,1967
	Jim Nash	12	July 23, 1967
	Jim Hunter	12	Sept. 12, 1967
	Bob Johnson	**12**	**Aug. 23, 1970**
Shutouts			
Won	Jim Hunter	5	1967
Lost	**Roger Nelson**	**6**	**1969**
At-Bats	Art Ditmar	970	1956
Runs Allowed	Art Ditmar	141	1956
Earned Runs Allowed	Art Ditmar	125	1956
Hits Allowed	Ray Herbert	256	1960

Home Runs Which Landed On Brooklyn Avenue (Right Field)

Larry Doby	1955
Mickey Mantle	1956
Harry Simpson	1956
Mickey Mantle	1961
Norm Cash	1962
Fred Whitfield	1964
Roger Maris	1965
Larry Stahl	1966
Norm Cash	1966
Jim Northrup	1967
Reggie Jackson	**June 16, 1969**
Tony Oliva	**June 29, 1969**
Don Mincher	**July 6, 1969**
Reggie Smith	**August 22, 1970**

EXPANSION DRAFT SELECTIONS October 15, 1968

Player, position, club:

1. ROGER NELSON, P, Baltimore; 2. Joe Foy, 3B, Boston; 3. JIM ROOKER, P, New York; 4. JOE KEOUGH, OF, Oakland; 5, Steve Jones, P, Washington; 6. Jon Warden, P, Detroit; 7. Ellie Rodriguez, C, New York; 8. Dave Morehead, P, Boston; 9. Mike Fiore, 1B, Baltimore; 10. BOB OLIVER, 1B, Minnesota; 11. BILL BUTLER, P, Detroit; 12. Steve Whitaker, OF, New York; 13. WALLY BUNKER, P, Baltimore; 14. PAUL SCHAAL, 3B, California; 15, DAN HAYNES, 1B, Chicago; 16, DICK DRAGO, P, Detroit; 17. Pat Kelly, OF, Minnesota; 18. Bill Harris, 2B, Cleveland; 19. Don O'Riley, P, Oakland; 20. AL FITZMORRIS, P, Chicago; 21. Moe Drabowsky, P, Baltimore; 22. Jack Hernandez, SS, Minnesota; 23. MIKE HEDLUND, P, Cleveland; 24. TOM BURGMEIER, P, California; 25. Hoyt Wilhelm, P, Chicago; 26. Jerry Adair, 2B, Boston; 27. JERRY CRAM, P, Minnesota; 28. Fran Healy, C, Cleveland; 29. SCOTT NORTHEY, OF, Chicago; 30. Ike Brookens, P, Washington.

Players capitalized still owned by Royals.

FARM DEPARTMENT

Lou Gorman, **Director of Minor League Operations and Scouting**
John Schuerholz, **Assistant Farm Director**
Mickey Vernon, **Organization Hitting Instructor**
Hal White, **Minor League Pitching Instructor**

Club	Nickname	Manager	General Manager
Omaha, Neb.	Royals	Jack McKeon	Bill Gorman
Jacksonville, Fla.	Suns	Billy Gardner	
San Jose, Calif.	Royal-Bees	Harry Malmberg	Larry Glissman
Waterloo, Ia.	Royals	Steve Boros	Richard Blumeyer
Billings, Mont.	Mustangs	Gary Blaylock	Woody Hahn
Kingsport, Tenn.	Royals	Owen Friend	Vince Capelli
Sarasota, Fla.	Royals	Buzzy Keller	Syd Thrift

1971 RECORDS

Club	League	Classification	Finish	Won	Lost
Omaha	American Assn.	AAA	Third	69	70
Elmira	Eastern	AA	*First	78	61
San Jose	California	A	Third	70	70
Waterloo	Midwest	A	Third	55	64
Billings	Pioneer	Rookie	Second	43	27
Kingsport	Appalachian	Rookie	Second	38	30
Sarasota	Gulf Coast	Rookie	First	40	13

*Won Playoffs

1971 FARM CLUB HIGHLIGHTS

Four seasons after its beginning the Royals' farm system has put together a record which compares favorably even with the established franchises. The Kansas City organization has been the standout among the 1969 expansion teams.

Here are the findings through a survey of the 24 farm systems for the 1971 season.

- The Royals possessed the 5th best winning percentage at .542.
- The Royals were 1 of only 6 teams to claim 2 or more full season championships.
- The Royals ranked 4th in total victories, and had the 2nd best percentage among the 4 winningest organizations.
- The Royals had the best expansion record for the combined efforts of their AAA and AA teams—the levels which likely will produce major league players first. Kansas City's .535 percentage ranked 6th among all teams.

Among the Kansas City farm system accomplishments in 1971 was the claiming of the Double A Eastern League title at Elmira, N.Y. That marked the 3rd upper classification title in as many years. Omaha had won Triple A championships in the American Association in 1969 and 1970.

The Baseball Academy ran away with the Gulf Coast League rookie title last summer. Its 40-13 record (.755) was the best in professional baseball.

Kansas City also supplied as many as 14 players to High Point-Thomasville which won the Carolina League championship in 1968, giving the Royals 5 minor league titles in only 4 years.

In the Florida Instructional League after the 1971 season, the Royals fielded 2 teams—1 from Kansas City and another from the Baseball Academy.

Kansas City finished 3rd in the Southern Division with a 22-23 record while the Academy was 4th with a 16-31 mark. Six players from the organization were named to the 13-man Southern Division all-star team. They were pitchers Steve Busby and Jim Reid, catcher Bob Burrows, second baseman Jim Wohlford, third baseman Gary Sanserino and outfielder Tom Poquette.

Busby, Burrows and Wohlford were 3 of the 4 players who were unanimous choices and Busby was named the outstanding pitcher in the division.

During the regular season, San Jose first baseman Frank (Moose) Ortenzio made exciting news. He hammered 9 home runs and drove in 26 runs in one 10-game span, and finished the year with a league-leading 32 home runs and 103 RBI. Both are Royals organization records. He also led the league in total bases with 271 and was selected for the California League all-star team along with teammate Doug Bird, who was 15-9. He was the league workhorse with 182 innings and his 15 victories paced the league.

Other players who made the Topps-National Association and/or league all-star teams included catcher Buck Martinez at Omaha, third baseman Sanserino at Elmira, pitcher Dennis Myers at Waterloo, outfielder Charlie (Pickles) Smith at Kingsport, shortstop George Brett and catcher Craig Perkins at Billings and catcher third baseman Rick Boone, outfielder Gary Rahe and catcher Ron Washington of the Baseball Academy.

Three pitchers hurled no-hitters, the first in the organization. Tim Howard did it for Kingsport and Ray Brown and John Gaylord for Billings.

LOU GORMAN DIRECTS FARMS, SCOUTING

The man behind the Royals' successful minor league and scouting departments is Lou Gorman. He was hired as Director of Player Development on February 5, 1968, the title later was altered to Director of Minor League Operations, and he assumed added duties as Director of Scouting on December 23, 1969.

Prior to joining Kansas City, he was Director of Minor League Clubs for Baltimore. In his first year in that capacity, three of the Orioles' six farm clubs won championships and the organization was awarded the Topps Trophy as the outstanding minor league system in baseball.

Lou attended LaSalle Academy in Providence, R.I., graduated from Stonehill College in North Easton, Mass., received a Master's Degree in Education from Bridgewater (Mass.) State College and has completed course work for a Masters Degree in English from Georgetown University in Washington, D.C. He played in the Philadelphia Phillies' organization in 1947-48, later spent seven years on active duty in the Navy as a Commissioned Officer, and presently holds the rank of Commander in the Naval Reserve.

BASEBALL ACADEMY EYES THIRD YEAR

With the second class already well into its training and the planning for Year Three under way, the holdovers from the class which initiated the Royals' Baseball Academy on August 10, 1970, face another new challenge in 1972. It probably will be the most severe test so far.

The players who have shown steady progression have passed every hurdle up to this point. In '72, they will compete with all other players in the Kansas City organization for jobs in the farm system.

Class No. 1 at the Academy had an outstanding won-lost record during its stay at the Sarasota, Fla., campus, which also is the site of the Royals' Minor League Complex.

The biggest success story was its frolic through the rookie Gulf Coast League. The Academy had a 40-13 record. Its .755 percentage was the best in organized baseball last year. During the entire 16-month stay, the first class played 241 games against all types of competition and compiled a 162-79 (.672) record.

The Gulf Coast League champions claimed the record of becoming the first minor league team ever to go through a season without being shut out. The Academy blanked foes 11 times. The Royals also stole 103 bases in their 53 games, and led the league in hitting (.257), fielding (.956) and pitching (2.07). Individually, third baseman Rick Boone, outfielder Gary Rahe and catcher Ron Washington made the all-league team. Orestes Minoso, son for former major leaguer Minnie Minoso, was the No. 2 hitter in the league at .329 and set the pace in doubles with 12. Bob Gipson (7-0) set the pace in wins and Dave Manes led in saves with 13.

Class No. 2 started its competitive work with a 22-17 fall semester record against Florida collegians. A busy spring schedule against college and professional teams and defense of the Gulf Coast League championship were to follow.

The Baseball Academy was conceived by Royals Owner Ewing Kauffman as a method of finding a fresh supply of talent for Kansas City. Kauffman's approach is to find superior athletes regardless of their previous exposure to baseball. To be accepted, a young man must pass rigid examinations which were developed by the staff.

The Academy combs the nation annually with a series of tryout camps to find its talent. Some 126 camps were held and 7,683 hopefuls were looked at the first year to come up with the initial class of 43. The present class started with 29 students after 132 tryouts and a look at 7,844 prospects.

Under the direction of Syd Thrift, a longtime professional scout and former Eastern Scouting Director for the Royals, the students study baseball all year long. They live in the dormitory on the Academy grounds and attend classes 5 mornings a week under the auspices of Manatee Junior College at nearby Bradenton, Fla. And they are paid while learning.

The Academy staff includes:

—Syd Thrift, director.
—Buzzy Keller, coordinator of instruction and field manager.
—Dr. Ray Reilly, research psychologist.
—Harold (Spike) Claassen, coordinator of publicity.
—Chuck Stobbs, instructor.
—Joe Tanner, instructor.
—G. V. (Pee Wee) Bourrette, coordinator of physical development.
—Wilford (Lefty) Conway, groundskeeper.
—Mickey Cobb, trainer.
—Charles Alyea, superintendent of buildings and grounds.
—Willis Horton, equipment manager.

BASEBALL ACADEMY ADDRESS

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SCOUT, MANAGER-OF-YEAR AWARD

Each year the Royals select a Scout-of-the-Year and Minor League Manager-of-the-Year from within the Kansas City organization. The honors, first started in the Royals' second season, are known as the Ewing M. Kauffman Awards.

The recipients:

SCOUT-OF-THE-YEAR

1970—Art Stewart
1971—Rosey Gilhousen

MANAGER-OF-THE-YEAR

1970—Jack McKeon, Omaha
1971—Harry Malmberg, Elmira

RADIO-TELEVISION INFORMATION

RADIO: Thirteen spring training games and all 162 regular season games will be broadcast.

TELEVISION: Twenty-six games, including two in the new Royals Stadium, will be televised. (See back cover.)

ANNOUNCERS: Bud Blattner and Denny Matthews team up on both radio and television for the fourth consecutive season. Ed Shepherd is producer-engineer on radio.

RIGHTS: For the first time, the Royals have retained rights on both radio and television. Bill Glidden is Director of Broadcasting.

TELEVISION NETWORK

(MORE STATIONS WILL BE ADDED)

KANSAS	STATION	CH.
Garden City	KUPK	13
Goodland	KLOE	10
Hays	KAYS	7
Topeka	WIBW	13
Wichita	KAKE	10

MISSOURI		
Columbia	KBCJ	17
Joplin	KUHI	16
KANSAS CITY	To Be Named	
Springfield	KMTC	27

NEBRASKA	STATION	CH.
Grand Island	KGIN	11
Lincoln	KOLN	10
Omaha	KMTV	3

Translator Stations

Great Bend, Kansas	71
Herington, Kansas	71
Hays, Kansas	70
Junction City, Kansas	75
Manhattan, Kansas	70
Russell, Kansas	75
Salina, Kansas	70

Bold face indicates originating station.

RADIO NETWORK

(MORE STATIONS WILL BE ADDED)

	On AM Dial		On FM Dial	
ARKANSAS				
Rogers	KAMO	1390	KAMO	94.3
IOWA				
Shenandoah	KMA	960		
KANSAS				
Abilene	KABI	1560	KABI	98.3
Atchison	KARE	1470		
Chanute	KKOY	1460	KKOY	105.5
Coffeyville	KGGF	690		
Concordia	KNCK	1390		
Dodge City	KGNO	1370		
El Dorado	KOYY	1360	KOYY	99.3
Emporia	KVOE	1400		
Garden City	KIUL	1240		
Great Bend	KVGB	1590		
Hays	KAYS	1400		
Hutchinson	KWHK	1260		
Independence	KIND	1010	KIND	101.7
Manhattan			KMAN	101.7
Pittsburg	KSEK	1340		
Pratt	KWNS	1290		
Salina			KSKG	99.9
Topeka	KTOP	1490		
Wichita	KAKE	1240		
MISSOURI				
Branson			KPLD	106.3
Brookfield	KGHM	1470		
Carthage	KDMO	1490	KRGK	104.9
Clinton	KDKD	1280		
Jefferson City	KLIK	950		
Joplin			KSYN	92.5
KANSAS CITY	**KMBZ**	**980**		
Kirksville			KRXL	94.5
Lexington	KLEX	1570	KLEX	106.3
Marshall	KMMO	1300	KMFL	102.9
Nevada	KNEM	1240		
St. Joseph			KUSN	105.1
Sedalia	KDRO	1490		
Springfield			KTXR	101.5
Warrensburg	KOKO	1450		
NEBRASKA				
Falls City	KTNC	1230		
Omaha	KOWH	660	KOWH	94.1

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SPRING TRAINING DATA

Major League Office:
Terry Park (Home Stadium)
813/334-1984

Press Box
813/334-1984

Headquarters, Sheraton Inn
Fort Myers, Florida
813/936-4300

Dates of First Workout:
Pitchers and Catchers, February 26
Entire Squad, March 1

Terry Park Data:
Left field, 360;
Center field, 415;
Right field, 360;
Fence 8-foot high
Infield, Tartan Turf

1972 Exhibition Schedule

DAY				SCORE
MARCH	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME	KC–OPP
12 Sun.	**Chicago White Sox**	**Fort Myers**	**1:30 p.m.**	___-___
13 Mon.	**Montreal Expos**	**Fort Myers**	**1:30 p.m.**	___-___
14 Tues.	**Philadelphia Phillies**	**Fort Myers**	**1:30 p.m.**	___-___
15 Wed.	Detroit Tigers	Lakeland	1:30 p.m.	___-___
16 Thurs.	**Chicago White Sox**	**Fort Myers**	**1:30 p.m.**	___-___
17 Fri.	Chicago White Sox	Sarasota	1:30 p.m.	___-___
18 Sat.	**St. Louis Cardinals**	**Fort Myers**	**1:30 p.m.**	___-___
19 Sun.	**Texas Rangers**	**Fort Myers**	**1:30 p.m.**	___-___
20 Mon.	Philadelphia Phillies	Clearwater	1:30 p.m.	___-___
21 Tues.	Texas Rangers	Pompano Beach	1:30 p.m.	___-___
22 Wed.	Texas Rangers	Pompano Beach	1:30 p.m.	___-___
23 Thurs.	Cincinnati Reds	Tampa	1:35 p.m.	___-___
24 Fri.	**New York Yankees**	**Fort Myers**	**1:30 p.m.**	___-___
25 Sat.	**Cincinnati Reds**	**Fort Myers**	**1:30 p.m.**	___-___
26 Sun.	New York Yankees	Fort Lauderdale	1:30 p.m.	___-___
27 Mon.	Pittsburgh Pirates	Bradenton	1:30 p.m.	___-___
28 Tues.	Open			___-___
29 Wed.	**Detroit Tigers**	**Fort Myers**	**1:30 p.m.**	___-___
30 Thurs.	**Pittsburgh Pirates**	**Fort Myers**	**1:30 p.m.**	___-___
31 Fri.	Cincinnati Reds	Tampa	1:35 p.m.	___-___
APRIL				
1 Sat.	Chicago White Sox	Sarasota	1:30 p.m.	___-___
2 Sun.	St. Louis Cardinals	St. Petersburg	1:30 p.m.	___-___
3 Mon.	**St. Louis Cardinals**	**Fort Myers**	**1:30 p.m.**	___-___
4 Tues.	St. Louis Cardinals	St. Petersburg	7:30 p.m.	___-___

Spring Exhibition Results

	Florida Only				Other			Vs.	Vs.	Vs.
Year	Home	Road	Total	Pct.	Sites	Total	Pct.	A.L.	N.L.	OTHER
1969	6-6	4-7	10-13	.435	0-2	10-15	.400	7-4	3-11	–
1970	4-7	3-9	7-16	.304	–	7-16	.304	4-5	3-11	–
1971	4-9	4-9	8-18	.308	2-0	10-18	.357	5-6	5-10	0-2
Totals	14-22	11-25	25-47	.347	2-2	27-49	.355	16-15	11-32	0-2

Spring Exhibition Attendance

Year	Fort Myers	Road in Florida	Total in Florida	Other Sites	Total
1969	18,610	6,550	25,160	x17,591	42,751
1970	22,901	13,325	36,226	–	36,226
1971	26,234	14,607	40,841	12,995	53,836
Totals	67,745	34,482	102,227	30,586	132,813

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Spring Exhibition Attendance Records

Fort Myers	Other Florida Sites	Other Sites
3,827	3,398 vs. New York Yankees	9,425 vs. St. Louis
vs. Detroit	at Fort Lauderdale	at Kansas City
March 23, 1971	April 1, 1970	April 5, 1969

MINOR LEAGUE TRAINING CAMP

Spring training for all Royals minor league pitchers and catchers will begin March 16. The remaining players report March 20.

Phone: 813 922-9621
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6700 Clark Road Sarasota, Fla. 33577

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KANSAS CITY—OUR BOOMING HOME TOWN

For many a year people have been singing a tune which says "Everything Is Up to Date in Kansas City."

Now it appears the song is going to become more fashionable than ever. Kansas City is booming. Several incredibly large projects—and many, many impressive ones of varying sizes—are nearing completion.

What's more, the Chamber of Commerce of Greater Kansas City is planning to see to it that EVERYONE, EVERYWHERE knows all about the city.

The Chamber—with a spirited community-wide effort behind it—launched a three-year program January 4 which is designed to make Kansas City's progress fully known to everyone.

One million dollars will be spent in each of those years to promote, on a national basis, the project which is known as KANSAS CITY'S PRIME TIME.

What will be promoted is the over-all image of a surging city which has $3.2 billion in construction scheduled to be completed by the fall of 1974.

One key project, of course, is the Harry S. Truman Sports Complex, which contains Royals Stadium and Arrowhead Stadium, which will house the Kansas City Chiefs. The total cost is expected to be about $70 million.

Here are some of the other major projects:

—$212 million Kansas City International Airport, due for completion in mid-July.

—$200 million Crown Center, a 15-year project which will see the first phase being completed in late 1973. It will include offices, retail space and a 730-room hotel.

—$75 million Tiffany Centro planned airport-related development.

—$56 million Trans World Airlines administration and aircraft maintenance facility, due for completion late in 1972.

—$29 million College of Osteopathic Medicine. The 426-bed hospital will open in June.

—$20 million Convention Center, with ground-breaking due late in '72.

—$20 million Theme Park, which in April, 1973, will be the site of Kansas City's Worlds of Fun.

—$20 million Southwestern Bell Telephone Company addition, heading towards a mid-1973 completion.

—$13 million University of Missouri-Kansas City Medical School, which had ground-breaking ceremonies in January.

Still other projects include five new junior college campuses, a new Missouri River bridge, an additional interstate highway link and considerable residential construction.

There seems no doubt Kansas City will carry considerable impact everywhere. It is up-to-date.

KANSAS CITY TO HOST ALL-STAR GAME

Kansas City will host the major league All-Star Game in July, 1973, with the exact date to be determined at a later date. It will be the second time Kansas City has entertained the All-Stars. The first was in Municipal Stadium on July 11, 1960, with the National League emerging with a 5-3 victory.

Kansas City is the 11th city to be awarded the All-Star Game more than once.

The 1972 game will be played in Atlanta, July 25.

TICKET INFORMATION

Royals Stadium ..... (816) 921-8800
Municipal Stadium ..... (816) 241-4101

***Purchase Tickets**

†Royals Stadium, Interstate 70 at Blue Ridge Cutoff
†Municipal Stadium, 22nd and Brooklyn
Blue Ridge Shopping Center (Lower Concourse)
Commerce Bank, Ninth and Main (Lower Lobby)
Plaza Ticket Office, 4628 Wornall Road

(*Tickets also are available at Anchor Savings Association and Mutual Savings and Loan Association offices and at nearly 100 banks throughout a five-state area.)
(†When stadium is in use).

Order By Mail

Tickets, Kansas City Royals, P. O. Box 1969, Kansas City, Mo. 64141.

Ticket Prices

	Royals Stadium	Municipal Stadium
General Admission	$1.50	$1.50
Reserved Grandstand	$3.00	$2.50
Box Seat	$4.00	$3.50
Club Box Seat	$6.00	

ROYALS 1972 SCHEDULE

GATES OPEN 2 HOURS BEFORE GAME

APRIL

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
2	3	4	5	6 1:30 Texas	7 7:30 Texas TV	8 1:30 Texas
9 1:30 Texas TV	10	11 7:30 California	12 7:30 California	13 7:30 California	14 7:30 Chicago	15 1:30 Chicago
16 DH 1:30 Chicago	17	18 10:00 Oakland	19 TN-DH 8:00 Oakland TV-1	20	21 8:00 Chicago TV	22 1:15 Chicago
23 1:15 Chicago TV	24	25 7:30 Baltimore	26 7:30 Baltimore	27	28 7:30 Cleveland	29 1:30 Cleveland
30 DH 1:30 Cleveland						

MAY

	1	2 8:00 Detroit TV	3 8:00 Detroit	4	5 6:30 Baltimore TV	6 6:00 Baltimore
7 1:00 Baltimore TV	8	9 6:30 Cleveland TV	10 11:00 Cleveland	11	12 7:30 Detroit	13 1:30 Detroit
14 1:30 Detroit	15 7:30 Texas	16 7:30 Texas	17 7:30 Texas	18	19 7:30 Oakland	20 1:30 Oakland
21 1:30 Oakland	22	23 7:30 Minnesota	24 7:30 Minnesota	25 10:00 California	26 10:00 California	27 10:00 California
28 4:00 California TV	29 1:15 Minnesota	30 7:30 Minnesota TV	31 7:30 Minnesota TV			

JUNE

				1 1:15 Minnesota	2 7:30 Boston	3 1:30 Boston
4 DH 1:30 Boston	5	6 7:30 Milwaukee	7 7:30 Milwaukee	8 7:30 Milwaukee	9 7:30 New York	10 7:30 New York
11 1:30 New York	12 EX 6:00 Pittsburgh	13 6:30 Boston TV	14 6:30 Boston TV	15 12:30 Boston	16 7:30 Milwaukee	17 1:30 Milwaukee TV
18 1:30 Milwaukee TV	19	20 6:30 New York TV	21 1:00 New York	22 EX 7:00 Atlanta	23 7:30 Minnesota	24 1:30 Minnesota
25 DH 1:30 Minnesota	26 7:30 Chicago	27 7:30 Chicago	28	29 7:30 Minnesota TV	30 1:15 Minnesota	

JULY

						1 1:30 Texas
2 DH 1:30 Texas	3 5:00 Texas	4 7:30 Detroit	5 7:30 Detroit	6 7:30 Detroit	7 6:30 Cleveland	8 12:30 Cleveland
9 DH 12:00 Cleveland	10 6:30 Baltimore	11 6:30 Baltimore	12 6:30 Baltimore	13 8:00 Detroit	14 8:00 Detroit	15 1:15 Detroit TV
16 1:30 Detroit	17	18 7:30 Cleveland	19 7:30 Cleveland	20 7:30 Baltimore	21 7:30 Baltimore	22 7:30 Baltimore
23 1:30 Baltimore	24	25 All-Star Atlanta	26	27 TN-DH 5:30 Chicago TV-1	28 8:00 Chicago TV	29 1:15 Chicago
30 8:00 California	31 10:00 California					

AUGUST

		1 10:00 Oakland	2 10:00 Oakland	3	4 7:30 California	5 1:30 California
6 DH 1:30 California	7 7:30 Oakland	8 7:30 Oakland	9 7:30 Oakland	10	11 7:30 Texas TV	12 7:30 Texas
13 5:30 Texas	14 7:30 New York	15 7:30 New York	16 7:30 New York	17	18 7:30 Milwaukee	19 7:30 Milwaukee
20 1:30 Milwaukee	21	22 7:30 Boston	23 7:30 Boston	24	25 6:30 New York	26 1:00 New York
27 DH 12:00 New York	28	29 7:30 Milwaukee TV	30 7:30 Milwaukee TV	31 7:30 Milwaukee		

SEPTEMBER

					1 6:30 Boston	2 1:00 Boston
3 1:00 Boston	4 7:30 Texas	5 7:30 Texas	6 7:30 California	7 7:30 California	8 7:30 Minnesota	9 7:30 Minnesota
10 1:30 Minnesota	11 7:30 Chicago	12 7:30 Chicago	13 7:30 Chicago	14	15 7:30 Minnesota	16 1:15 Minnesota
17 1:15 Minnesota	18	19 10:00 California	20 10:00 California	21 10:00 California	22 10:00 Oakland	23 3:30 Oakland
24 DH 3:30 Oakland	25	26 8:00 Chicago	27 1:15 Chicago	28	29 7:30 Oakland	30 7:30 Oakland

OCTOBER

1 1:30 Oakland	2	3 7:30 Texas	4 7:30 Texas			

HOME GAMES

DH – DOUBLEHEADER
EX – EXHIBITION

TN-DH – TWI-NIGHT DOUBLEHEADER
TV – TELEVISION

ALL STARTING TIMES KANSAS CITY TIME